

WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 3 p.m. Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Southerly winds,
mostly cloudy and mild, with showers.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Columbia—The Untamed.
Romano—Male and Female.
Pantheons—Broadway and Home.
Royal—The Woman in the Moon.
Dominion—Forbidden Fruit.
Variety—The Devil's Palsky.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Energetic Action Against Germany If Payment Not Made

France, Either Alone or Aided By Allies, Will Take Steps If Satisfactory Assurances Are Not Forthcoming by May 1.

Paris, April 11.—It is no longer doubted in circles here considered to have the best sources of information that France, either alone or in common with the Allies, will take radical action against Germany if satisfactory assurances regarding the payment of reparations are not forthcoming by May 1.

What form the action will take is still only a matter for surmise, but semi-official opinion is that it will be such as to impress the German people as they have not been impressed since the armistice.

BOARD REFUSES TO GRANT APPLICATION

Railway Transfer on Reserve Is Turned Down

"Under present conditions this Board is not justified in ordering the expenditure of even \$25,000 absolutely warranted," said Hon. F. B. Carvell, Chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners this morning when refusing to grant the application for an order compelling the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways to install switching facilities for interchange of freight here.

"We do not care to shut our eyes to the fact that the railways of Canada to-day are in a very serious condition. This Board is placed in a very unpleasant and almost humiliating position because we feel that we should make certain orders involving the expenditure of money which we cannot make, realizing that the railways cannot carry them out because they have not the money."

"We do not care to shut the doors to an expression of public opinion, and we realize the necessity of the switching connection and we have no objection to the application being renewed," said Mr. Carvell.

Company's Position.

Some satisfaction was gathered from the statement by J. E. McMullen, solicitor for the Canadian Pacific Railway, to the effect that the comprehensive plans for railway terminals on the industrial area on Songhees Reserve provided for a transfer track under the southern end of the Johnson Street bridge, between the C. N. R. and E. & N. with certain tracks to be constructed by the British Columbia government along the waterfront. The Canadian Pacific Railway has built its portion and it remains for the C. N. R. to build its section from Point Ellice Bridge to Johnson Street Bridge.

Question of Cost.

In answer to a query from Mr. Carvell, Major Alistair Fraser, Town Engineer, explained that the building of this link was largely a question of cost. The construction would involve an expenditure of something between \$25,000 and \$50,000, he said, and the company did not feel that there was sufficient business in sight to warrant the expenditure. It was at this point that Mr. Carvell delivered his decision as above stated.

A large delegation of prominent business men were present to press the granting of the application. R. W. Mayhew, of the Sidney Roofing & Paper Company, explained the difficulties his company had to contend with, one plant being on the E. & N. Railway tracks on the Victoria industrial reserve and the other at Sidney.

Mr. Carvell remarked that the development of industries could be encouraged to a great extent by a more generous attitude on the part of the public in regard to permitting the selection of sites. "It is a very nice question as to how the public will come to the rescue," he said.

The Problem.
J. O. Cameron called attention to the fact that the industrial area had been established and industries located there on the assumption that

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No Hurried Rebuilding Of the British Empire

London, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Rt. Hon. W. F. Massey, Prime Minister of New Zealand, will leave on Saturday for London to attend the Imperial Conference, according to cables received here. Mr. Massey will cross Canada on his way here.

London, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The Times this morning alludes editorially to the conference of the Dominion Prime Ministers and Imperial authorities to be held in London in June and endeavors to allay suspicions which it thinks exist in the Dominions that Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, Colonial Secretary, intends to spring some new scheme of Imperial reorganization upon the gathering. Mr. Churchill, who has just returned from Egypt and Palestine, is more absorbed, The Times says, in Mesopotamian affairs than in machinations affecting the Dominions. In view, however,

TURKS MOVING AGAINST GREEKS

Attacking on Both Sectors of Front

Greeks' Losses Are Described As Heavy

Paris, April 11.—News from Asia Minor received in Paris during the last twenty-four hours indicates that the Turks are pressing the Greeks in the southern sector as well as to the north, in the region of Bursa.

The losses of the Greek northern army are indicated by the condition of three divisions which, according to the reports, lost an aggregate of 6,200 killed and wounded. The Tenth Division is described as having been virtually annihilated, an entire regiment of the Seventh Division captured and the Third Division reduced to two battalions.

Losses Estimated.

Athens, April 11.—An official statement estimates the total losses of the Greeks in the fighting in Asia Minor at 4,000 killed and 4,400 wounded.

IRISH IN U. S. ARE OBSTACLE

Preventing Irish Settlement by Talking Republicanism

Dublin, April 11.—A prominent citizen of the United States has made the statement that influential Irish republicans in his country were preventing a settlement of the Irish question by insisting upon Ireland being a republic, failing which the warlike in Ireland would be continued. He claimed to be privy to attempts to induce the Sinn Fein leaders publicly to announce their willingness to accept full home rule coupled with fiscal autonomy.

The informant desired that his name be withheld for the present and declared that for three weeks every effort had been made unsuccessfully to persuade James D. Valera, who stands out with Michael Collins and other members of the Irish Republican Army, to state their minimum demands.

"I am confident the British Government is ready to negotiate on these terms," he continued, "but the leaders of the Irish republicans in the United States who are financing the movement here are not ready to negotiate on these terms."

(Michael Collins is known as the commander-in-chief of the Irish Republican Army.)

Two Murdered.

Cork, April 11.—Two constables were shot at daylight yesterday morning while walking along a street in the village of Kildorrery, near here. Both died later in the day.

Raider Killed.

Dublin, April 11.—A battle raged for twenty minutes around the North-western Hotel, in the North Wall section, when civilians armed with bombs and live ammunition attacked the hotel, where Government auxiliaries are quartered. One of the assaulting party was killed and several were wounded.

Poison Gas.

The attackers began their onslaught as the dock workers were proceeding to their places of employment. Bombs, poison gas, missiles and bottles of petrol were hurled into the hotel precincts, after which rifles and revolvers were used freely from three sides. The auxiliaries, taken by surprise, sprang to points of vantage, some of them in balconies, and engaged in a brisk twenty-minute battle until reinforcements arrived. The attackers then withdrew, leaving a quantity of bombs.

Constable Killed.

Belfast, April 11.—A constable was instantly killed and three constables were wounded yesterday when they were attacked while cycling near the village of Cregganaduff. The attack was made by a party of about twenty men, who were armed with rifles, revolvers and hand grenades, the constables replying with revolvers.

SAYS CONFESSION NOT TRUE STORY

R. Harris and New York Murder Case

Buffalo, N.Y., April 11.—Roy Harris, held by the police on his confession that he was concerned in the murder of Joseph P. Elwell in New York, has confessed his story is not true. After questioning for two hours by District Attorney Moore, he admitted his original declaration was all false.

Harris gave as his reasons for the hoax that he had been separated from his wife and had met her again only last week and desired to know whether she would stand by him if he were in serious trouble. He said that if she had not proved "loyal and true blue" he would have gone to the electric chair.

NATHAN, EX-MAYOR OF ROME, DIED

Rome, April 11.—Ernesto Nathan, former Mayor of Rome, died here on Saturday of heart failure. He contracted the disease while fighting in the mountainous country as a volunteer in the war.

Signor Nathan was born in England of Jewish parents, and was elected Mayor of Rome in 1907. He was seventy-six years old.

BRITAIN TO REPAY U. S. \$25,000,000

Washington, April 11.—Great Britain's payment of \$25,000,000 in principal and interest under the funding scheme for liquidating the debt of \$122,000,000 incurred during the war by the purchase of 100,000,000 standard silver dollars for the relief of the silver famine in India, falls due Friday. Payment probably will be made through the Federal Reserve Bank in New York, Treasury officials said.

HON. J. R. LOWTHER TO VISIT CANADA

London, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Owing to the coal strike, Rt. Hon. J. W. Lowther has postponed the date of his resignation as Speaker of the House of Commons, but it is expected that he will be able to make his contemplated trip to Canada to present to the Canadian House of Commons the Speaker's chair, which is the gift of the Empire Parliamentary Association.

Railway Board Told Rates on Island Lumber Are Unjust

Rates charged by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company on lumber and shingles from Vancouver Island to points east of Canmore, Alberta, are "unreasonable, unjust and excessive," and subject these commodities "to unreasonable prejudice and undue disadvantage," in violation of the Railway Act of 1919, the Board of Railway Commissioners was told this morning by representatives of the Vancouver Island lumber industry.

The lumbermen's case was set forth in the following formal statement:

"The B. C. Lumber & Shingle Mfrs. Ltd., Victoria Branch, complainant, vs. Canadian Pacific Railway, Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, et al."

"The complaint of the above-named complainant respectfully shows:

"1. That complainant is an association of individuals and firms, who are engaged in the manufacture of lumber and shingles on Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

"2. The defendants are common carriers engaged in the transportation of lumber and shingles, partly by water and partly by railroad, by continuous carriage or shipment from points on Vancouver Island, British Columbia to points in the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and as such common carriers are subject to the Railway Act, 1919.

"3. That defendants publish and maintain rates on lumber and shingles in violation of the Railway Act, 1919, in that they charge rates on Vancouver Island, British Columbia, as listed below, to points in the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, which rates exceed the Coast or Vancouver rates in the amounts shown (Concluded on page 4.)

TRIBUTE PAID TO FISHER'S WORK

Mackenzie King Speaks of Late Ex-Minister

Ottawa, April 11.—(Canadian Press)—The following tribute to the life and work of the late Hon. Sydney A. Fisher was voiced to-day by Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leader of the Liberal Party in Canada:

"The Liberal Party has had no truer friend and Canada few, if any, more disinterested and public-spirited citizens than the late Hon. Sydney A. Fisher. For more than forty years Mr. Fisher was actively associated with the nation's politics. His distinguished record as a legislator during the many years he sat in Parliament, and as an able executive administrator during the following years he was Minister of Agriculture, is a part of the history of this country. What is not so well known, says to the circle of his political associates and personal friends, is the degree to which he was ever a wise and trusted counsellor with respect to matters of both public and private concern."

Died Saturday.

The death of Mr. Fisher, who was in his seventy-first year, occurred Saturday evening in Ottawa. He was a native of Montreal.

Mr. Fisher had been a member of the House of Commons since 1882, when he was elected member for Brome. He was elected again in 1887, but was defeated in 1891. He took an active part in the campaign which led to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's succession in 1896, when he was himself re-elected and became a member of the Government, holding the portfolio of Agriculture until the retirement of the Laurier administration in 1911.

Mr. Fisher did not marry.

S.S. BERENGARIA'S SAILING CANCELLED

London, April 11.—Orders cancelling the sailing of the giant steamship Berengaria, formerly the Imperator, in her dock at Hoboken, N. J., have been received by the United States by the Cunard Line.

The vessel was to have sailed from Southampton April 15.

ITALIAN RAILWAYS TO BE ELECTRIFIED

Rome, April 11.—Italy has decided to electrify about 5,000 miles of her railways and will shortly send a mission abroad to study the best systems of railway electrification.

TURKS TRY TO WIN OVER FRANCE

Opposing British Influence in Near East

Say British Empire Supreme in World

Washington, April 11.—Frank Acknowledgment by the Turkish Nationalist Government of Ankara of a desire to reach an understanding with France for subverting British influence in the Near East is contained in a semi-official statement received to-day from Ankara.

The declaration of policy of the Turkish Nationalist Government is of especial interest, in the opinion of officials, since the policy urged on France by the Turks may have had some influence in the evacuation of Cilicia as well as in the conclusion of a formal understanding between the two Governments.

Supreme.

"Great Britain is to-day not only supreme in the Near East, but also in the world, and France is itself under this domination."

EX-KAISERIN DIED AT DOORN HOUSE

End Came To-day; Was Ill One Year

Doorn, Holland, April 11.—Former Empress Augusta Victoria on Germany died here at 6 o'clock this morning.

Although the end had been expected for weeks, it came as a shock to the dwellers in Doorn Castle, as during the past week the patient's condition had seemed less serious.

On Saturday last, however, Dr. Haeseler, after a consultation with Professor Hymans, a Dutch heart specialist, thought it advisable to send a message to Victoria Louise, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hohenzollern, calling her to Doorn, Victoria Louise, who then was in Vienna, did not reach Doorn when death came to her mother this morning.

Gradually Sank.

Last night the patient was only semi-conscious. She was kept from suffering by frequent hypodermic injections, but her breathing appeared to become hourly more difficult.

As the day broke, breathing became still more difficult for the failing patient and her pulse grew weaker. She became unconscious and her breathing became weaker and what at 6 o'clock life left her frail body.

Hohenzollern stood at the bedside with bent head as death came, and he remained in the room for some time afterward.

Ill One Year.

By a strange coincidence the end came just one year after she had suffered her first serious attack of heart disease.

It was while she was preparing to enter the House of Doorn, the present home of Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former Kaiser of Germany, after her long residence at Amerongen, that she was stricken with what at the time was believed to be a fatal attack. That was on April 11, 1920. For a few days there were reports that her death was momentarily expected, but she rallied and accompanied her husband to Doorn on May 15 last.

Attacks of her fatal malady recurred at frequent intervals, each snapping her away for hours, and nullifying the measures taken by specialists to reduce the suffering.

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NEGOTIATIONS AT DEADLOCK

Prairie Province-Ottawa Natural Resources Discussion

Winnipeg, April 11.—Correspondence between Hon. T. C. Norris, Premier of Manitoba, and the Prime Minister of Canada about a matter of natural resources tabled in the Legislature here in reply to a motion for a return made by John T. Halg, revealed a conflict of opinion, and indicates that a complete deadlock in the negotiations has been reached.

Included in the return are four letters exchanged between Mr. Norris and Mr. Meighen, which have not hitherto been published. The first letter was from Mr. Meighen dated December 7, in which he committed the Dominion Government to the view that a settlement of the question on the lines suggested by the prairie provinces could only be made with the consent of the remaining provinces. None of these provinces being agreed to such a settlement, he suggested that the prairie Premiers should make a definite proposal in abatement of the existing subsidies in lieu of lands as a step toward an early settlement of the question.

Memorandum.

Mr. Norris's reply was to enclose a copy of the memorandum which had been prepared by the Provincial Government, and readiness for the conference to discuss the question, which had been called to meet in Ottawa about the middle of the month. This memorandum, which was published at the time of the conference, asked the Dominion Government to agree to the principles of a settlement on the basis that the prairie had been entitled to the public land in the date when it entered Confederation and was now entitled to a transfer of all unalienated lands and to a settlement of those which had been alienated "for Dominion purposes."

British Owners of Mines and Strikers Hold Conferences

Meeting This Forenoon to Settle Coal Strike in Britain Was Adjourned Until This Afternoon; Suggestions By Lloyd George.

London, April 11.—Four coal mine owners and their striking employees conferred for an hour at the Board of Trade's offices this morning on a possible settlement of the controversy which led to the miners' walkout last week. The conference adjourned at noon until four o'clock this afternoon. Sir Robert S. Horne, Chancellor of the Exchequer, presided.

Premier Lloyd George made the suggestion during the conference that the owners give a full presentation of their case, stating the reasons why they considered the wage reductions justified, after which the miners' counter-claims should be fully presented. He proposed that the miners then name six representatives to meet six representatives of the mine owners, with or without Government representatives present, "to begin an examination of possibilities and report to their respective constituents."

Premier Lloyd George told the miners and owners: "We have definitely concluded that we could not recommend to Parliament that we continue paying profits to the owners, and the owners to the men from the general tasks of the country."

Settlement Expected.

London, April 11.—Reuters's to-day gives the following summary of the coal strike situation, which reflects the semi-official viewpoint:

"The fact that the miners have now agreed to meet the owners is regarded as positive evidence that the strike is certain to be settled. There may be momentary setbacks, but the ultimate issue is considered in competent quarters as beyond question. The compromise arranged on Saturday has been hailed with intense satisfaction by the whole country. Various causes brought it about."

"The refusal of the men to pump the mines had alienated the sympathy of the public, and furthermore the revolutionary section of the strikers apparently thought the strike would be a general one, but a division in the ranks once again manifested itself. Thus the railwaymen and the transport workers found that only half of their members would respond, and that a strike, if ordered, would inevitably fail."

Measures.

"There are also indications that the preparations of the Government, particularly the putting into force of the Emergency Powers Act, the movement of troops and ships and the extraordinary response made to the appeal for voluntary aid strongly influenced the promoters of the strike, and probably finally turned the scale against a continuation of their uncompromising attitude."

REDUCTION OPPOSED.

Winnipeg, April 11.—A protest against the proposed reduction of twenty-five per cent. in the bonus of Federal civil servants has been forwarded by the Manitoba Customs and Excise Association to Premier Meighen.

O'CALLAGHAN WOULD REMAIN IN STATES

But Officials Wish Cork's Mayor to Leave

Washington, April 11.—Secretary Davis, in a formal statement to-day, said he had "no doubt" that Donald O'Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork, would comply with the "logic of the situation and rush for home as an alien seaman within sixty days from the date of the State Department ruling that he was not entitled to asylum in the United States as a political refugee."

Wishes to Remain.

Philadelphia, April 11.—O'Callaghan will remain in this country until he considers it safe to return to Ireland, said Michael Francis Doyle, attorney for the Lord Mayor of Cork, here to-day. "Notice was served on the Department of Labor," he said, "that a writ of habeas corpus would be immediately applied for if any effort were made to deport the Lord Mayor."

CONGRESS MEETS IN WASHINGTON

Washington, April 11.—While Congress was assembling to-day in special session, President Harding denied himself to callers and worked on the message he will deliver to-morrow in person to point session of the Senate and the House.

\$100,000 FIRE IN CITY OF QUEBEC

Quebec, April 11.—Fire broke out yesterday in the Morin Building and caused damage in excess of \$100,000.

FLORIDA-CUBA CABLE LINES ARE NOT TO BE USED

Washington, April 11.—The permit for the operation and maintenance of the Western Union Cable between Key West, Fla., and Colimar, Cuba, was revoked by President Wilson, reports that the Western Union would use this line to connect the Barbados-South America cable to American shores, it was disclosed to-day by a Government brief filed in the Supreme Court.

German Army Found in Upper Silesian Region

Paris, April 11.—A dispatch received from the Allied Commission in Upper Silesia which supervised the recent plebiscite there, declares a complete German military organization, with a full battalion in each district, has been discovered in that region.

The entire force, numbering 20 battalions, with a full complement of machine guns and other arms and munitions, is ready for action, the dispatch asserts.

Most of the German functionaries in Upper Silesia are alleged to be involved in a plot to employ force in case the German claims for Upper Silesia are rejected by the Allied Supreme Council.

The Germans had a considerable majority in the total plebiscite vote, but important sections voted in favor of Poland.

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Meighen Speaks of Empire and United States

Ottawa, April 11.—Addressing an international Rotary convention here Saturday, Premier Meighen said: "The good of the world for the next century depends on the amity and concord of the Anglo-Saxon race more than on any other single thing. If there was ever a time when civilized people clung with eagerness around the thought to save civilization, that time has now come. If, which God forbid, anything ever arose to destroy the friendly relations that now exist between the two great English-speaking nations, then indeed the future of civilization would be black beyond the powers of description."

HOW PARIS MEMBERS SETTLE DISPUTES

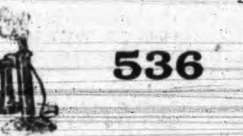
Postponed Duel Results in Rolling on the Ground

Paris, March 16.—(By Mail).—There was a lively incident in the yard of the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon. Beginning with a heated argument between M. Lagrosilliere, Deputy of Martinique, and M. Lemery, who was recently elected Senator for the same colony, it developed into a long time. Lagrosilliere snatched M. Lemery's cane and struck him with it. The two men then got into grips and rolled on the ground several times. The combatants were finally separated by attendants of the Chamber and Republican Guards. They had been at loggerheads for a long time. A projected duel was postponed by arbitration until after the war, but the attacks continued, and the Deputy and the Senator meeting to-day, they determined to settle their quarrel. It appears to have been a drawn fight.

Michael Hillyard, a young Strathroy returned soldier, died from injuries received at a buzzing bee near Mount Argus.

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TORONTO MOB**WAS DISPERSED**

Bombed Massey Hall During Prohibition Meeting

Toronto, April 11.—Angered because they were shut out of a prohibition meeting in Massey Hall yesterday afternoon when W. E. ("Pussyfoot") Johnson was the principal speaker, a number of men in a crowd of more than 2,000 outside of the big hall began to bombard the front doors with stones, bricks and bottles, at the same time shouting loudly in a vain attempt to drown out the voices of the speakers at the meeting. A squad of mounted police scattered the mob, which was rapidly becoming dangerous.

In Montreal.
Montreal, April 11.—Montreal, supposed to be the fountain of the liquor traffic, extended to William E. ("Pussyfoot") Johnson a kindly welcome when he spoke here Saturday night. Two disturbers had to be ejected, but there was not enough interference to affect the meeting.

Two Meetings.
Toronto, April 11.—William E. ("Pussyfoot") Johnson addressed two large gatherings here yesterday under the auspices of the Ontario Branch of the Dominion Alliance. Almost 2,000 persons attended the Massey Hall meeting.

Mr. Johnson attacked Charles A. Windle, editor of Brann's Iconoclast, Chicago, who spoke here recently. He characterized Windle's paper as a "most villainous anti-British publication in the United States."

"England is my mother country," Mr. Johnson declared, "and England is as much the mother country of America as of Canada. She is our common mother. Any one who refers to England as a hypocrite is a foul-mouthed liar."

As to the "regulation" of the liquor traffic, Mr. Johnson said that attempts had been made for centuries to regulate the traffic. "The United States," he said, "did not regulate yellow fever or rattlesnakes. We put them out of business."

MAN LEAPS FROM BROOKLYN BRIDGE FOR THE MOVIES

New York, April 11.—While motion picture cameras clicked on the deck of a tug in the East River yesterday, Daniel Carone, aged twenty-seven, of Vernon, puffing a cigarette, leaped from the centre of Brooklyn Bridge and was picked up in the water 133 feet below, alive and unharmed. It was his second jump from the structure, he having performed the feat in 1915.

PACKING HOUSE EMPLOYEES IN TORONTO IDLE

Toronto, April 11.—No change has occurred in the strike of 1,600 packing house employees in this city. It is said that the chief obstacle in the way of a settlement of the strike is the packers' insistence upon a ten-hour day.

THREE WERE KILLED IN AUTO SMASH

Detroit, Mich., April 11.—Three persons lost their lives last night when an automobile plunged over an embankment into a water-filled excavation in the Spring-Well district. The dead: Frederick Reinhold, his fourteen-year-old daughter Laura and Joe Maroski.

OTTAWA AUDIENCE**HEARD MRS. SMITH**

British Columbia Cabinet Minister Spoke

Ottawa, April 11.—When it comes to the political life of the country, why should we not forget that sex does not count, but that brains, ability and the will to do the right thing are what really matter?" said Hon. Mary Ellen Smith, of Vancouver, in addressing a large audience here Saturday evening under the auspices of the Ottawa Women's Club.

Mrs. Smith, who spoke on the legislation of British Columbia, paid a tribute to the forty-six men in the British Columbia Legislature who had co-operated with her in bringing about laws which produced the great reform for women and children of any Province in the Dominion of Canada. This advanced legislation in the Province would never have been brought about, she stated, had women not been enfranchised.

Laws They Desire.
Women were proving that since getting the franchise they were working for things which were not both for them and were not both for the country, so that their learning to forget sex and to work with men was gaining for them the laws they desired.

In touching on the referendum, Mrs. Smith said that in British Columbia they had a great deal of difficulty in drafting a bill, which when drafted they knew would please no one, as it was a compromise between the prohibitionists and the temperance men. It did not go as far as the moderates wished, and neither did it go as far as the prohibitionists wished.

HOUSES BOMBED**IN CITY OF LIMERICK**

Scenes of Violence in the Irish City

Cork, April 11.—After the attack on a police patrol by armed civilians in the city of Limerick, Cork, Ireland, Cameron issued instructions enforcing the curfew at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and at the same time ordered the inhabitants of the city to keep their windows open in order to avoid damage by explosions.

Following this notice, at 6 o'clock in the evening, explosions were heard. Several houses and other premises were bombed and destroyed. A woman ninety years old was reported to have been ejected from one of the houses by soldiers. Auxiliaries horsewhipped persons found in the streets.

Crown forces were ambushed on the road between Limerick and Castlemar during the evening. The men in the ambulance exploded a large mine. The fighting lasted half an hour. The casualties are not known.

Cork Region.

London, April 11.—A Cork dispatch said regular troops in charge of an officer visited the Uptown district near Cork yesterday and arrested several civilians and turned down two farm houses and some produce, in alleged reprisals for the ambush of soldiers on March 19 at Cross Barry, midway between Kinsale and Macroom. The houses were destroyed, five killed and five wounded. The residents of the farm houses were given half an hour to remove their livestock and food.

Police yesterday discovered a machine gun and ammunition secreted in the grounds of the agricultural society at Cork. They also removed a motor car used in London Sinn Fein exploits, as well as many bicycles.

Murdered.

London, April 11.—A Belfast dispatch said a special Ulster constable was shot dead and three persons wounded in an ambush in Crossmaglen, County Armagh, while returning from church yesterday.

Burned.

The first attempt to enforce the Sinn Fein boycott against English goods occurred yesterday in the Kilmahick, County Wick, railway station. A quantity of goods from Manchester was burned by armed men.

"MERCHANT OF VENICE" PLAYED AT DUNCAN

Duncan, April 11.—For the Duncan High School's presentation of "The Merchant of Venice" at the Opera House was packed to its utmost capacity. At five minutes to eight the orchestra commenced the overture, and precisely at 8 o'clock, prompt

heard upon the stage. The cast cannot be complimented too highly upon their successful efforts, the time spent in preparing being amply repaid by general applause of all who witnessed their performance. The portrayal of Portia was excellently done.

The success of the play was mainly due to the good management of the Cabinet. Doubt the harmonious co-operation of the Duncan High School Commonwealth. With the able supervision of Dr. N. Black, their principal, all in connection with the High School teachers and pupils alike, worked well to achieve success.

It is very pleasing to know they will be able to provide \$200 for the purpose of increasing the school library.

The cast was as follows: Duke of Venice, Alfred Basset; Antonio, Ian Roome; Bassanio, Margaret King; Gratiano, Edward Miller; Salanio, Donald Douglas; Shylock, Neil Blythe; Lorenzo, Norah Dwyer; Shylock, Hilda Best; Tubal, William King; Launcelot Gobbo, Eileen Dwyer; Old Gobbo, Claude Bell; Portia, Ronald Young; Belmont, Lindley Brookbank; Stephano, Lindley Brookbank; Jessica, Gwynne Owens; Nerissa, Edna Inglis; Portia, Kathleen Townsend.

Miss Monk kindly assisted with piano music at the matinee as the orchestra could not all appear.

FILES

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RUSSIANS WISH TO STAY IN GERMANY**Many Prisoners Oppose Return to Russia**

Berlin, April 9.—Continued exchange of Russian and German prisoners of war has developed the fact that many Russian soldiers have no intention of returning to their homeland at this time if they can possibly avoid it. The Cosack prisoners are particularly reluctant to go back to Russia and shoulder guns in the Soviet armies, with which many of them are frankly unsympathetic.

There are still 100,000 or more former Russian soldiers in German internment or prison camps, although the number of Germans still held in Russia has been reduced to less than 10,000.

Some of the Russian prisoners have taken advantage of the Soviet Government's "open-purse" policy in favor of propagandists or agents who, it is considered, may be of use to the Lenin-Trotsky regime. One former Russian officer is reported to have recently received 75,000 German marks from Moscow, ostensibly for use in his home district in Russia.

The lenient attitude of the German guards toward the Russian prisoners has caused a number of newspapers to complain that Victor Kopp, Soviet representative here, was taking advantage of the situation for propaganda purposes, but Kopp denied the charge.

Many of the Russians have secured parole. About fifty Cosack musicians are permitted to visit different cities to play in cafes and restaurants and at entertainments. These men were paroled in charge of a Young Men's Christian Association worker. The prisoners also are permitted to hold "fairs" and sell their handwork to raise money for use in the camps. The Russian prisoners generally appear well fed, well clothed and appreciative of the German hospitality.

GOOD PROMISE**FOR FRUIT CROP**

Outlook on British Columbia Mainland Encouraging

Vancouver, April 11.—Prospects are unusually bright for a splendid fruit crop in British Columbia this year, according to R. G. Clark, Dominion Fruit Inspector. Although there has been a little frost in spots, no damage was caused. The weather in the Okanagan Valley has been ideal, and present indications point to a heavy crop of berries and other fruits.

Merger.

Vancouver, April 11.—British Columbia berry farmers have purchased the material from the organization on the Pacific Coast of a merger of the Northwest fruit canneries. The new firm is capitalized at \$10,000,000.

The new organization includes the Fuyalup and Sumner fruit canning plants at Sumner, Wash., and Albany, Ore., together with a large number of smaller concerns throughout the Northwest.

The new organization will do much to stabilize the berry industry and extend the markets. The merger plans to conduct a vast educational and advertising campaign throughout the world to popularize jams, fruit juices and various berry products of the Pacific Coast.

BALLIN, INDUSTRIAL LEADER IN DENMARK, COMMITTED SUICIDE

Copenhagen, April 11.—M. J. Ballin, one of the foremost figures in Danish industry, died early to-day as the result of a self-inflicted bullet wound.

Ballin, who was a native of Germany, was very proud of the industrial concern of Ballin's Sonner, of which he was the leading spirit, and was reputed to have spent his private fortune in a vain attempt to prevent the decline of the stock of the company, which was quoted at sixty today as against 320 in 1918.

In consequence of his German sympathies, Ballin was prominently named on the Allied blacklist during the war.

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MAIL AND EMPIRE INCREASES FIELD

World Absorbed by Other Toronto Paper

Toronto, April 11.—The Toronto Mail and Empire has purchased The Toronto Daily World and The Toronto Sunday World. The Daily World is discontinued, and its circulation added to that of The Mail and Empire. The Sunday World will continue to be published by The Mail and Empire.

MOVE TO ABOLISH U. S. RAILWAY BOARD

Ottawa, April 11.—(Canadian Press).—The campaign on the prohibition issue in Ontario, leading up to the vote next Monday, is at fever heat in this part of the province. Practically all the churches yesterday devoted special attention to the issue, while on the other side a big rally was held last night at which C. A. Windle, of Chicago, and Tom Moore were the principal speakers. Windle, who is editor of a Chicago publication, refused allegations that he was pro-German, stating that he had his son and twenty-three nephews at the war and quoting editorials written by himself on the valor of the British troops.

Gradually. Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, urged that a gradual process of the elimination of drunkenness was preferable to drastic steps such as the present Ontario Temperance Act and similar acts throughout the Dominion, which, he said, had not the confidence of the people. He declared that Britain was making wonderful progress by gradual rather than precipitate means.

Much feeling has been aroused here by a statement charged to Mrs. Anna Gordon, a prominent prohibition worker, that after a visit to England, she had turned her back upon that country as a nation of drunkards. In his address last night Windle declared that while in England for two or three months last Summer he had not seen one drunken person.

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IT BUILT HER UP FROM A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

Winnipeg Woman Says Since Taking Tanlac She Has Gained in Weight and Feels So Strong She Can Do Her Housework With Ease Now

"I have been in splendid health now for the past year and it is all because of what Tanlac did for me," recently declared Mrs. Martha Pollock, 291 McKenzie Street, Winnipeg. "I was suffering from the effects of a nervous breakdown and was so weak and completely worn out I could hardly get around—the house. My appetite was so poor and my stomach so upset, I actually hated to eat, for I would rather go without eating than suffer the distress I knew

would follow. My nerves were almost a total wreck, and I thought sometimes I would simply go distracted. Sleep was almost impossible, for I would lie awake hour after hour worrying over my condition.

"Nothing seemed to help me a particle, and finally I decided to ask a druggist, whom I had confidence in, to recommend something to me. But I was too weak to go myself and had to send my little boy to the drug store. He brought back Tanlac, and I'll declare I never will forget how much better I felt even before I finished the first bottle. I took eight bottles in all, and just felt like a different person altogether. I have gained in weight and feel so strong I can do the housework with ease. I feel that I just can't say too much for Tanlac, and even now I am constantly telling my friends what a grand medicine it is."

R. R. Maitland

DIED IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 11.—R. R. Maitland, a prominent barrister and former clergyman, died this morning after a long illness.

Robert R. Maitland was born at Brockville, Ontario, on June 4, 1855, and was educated at the public school at Durham, Ontario, the Grammar School, Owen Sound, and Victoria University, Toronto, where he graduated LL.B. He taught school in Ontario from 1871 to 1875, and came to British Columbia in July, 1890. He was a minister of the Methodist Church from 1871 to 1897. On retiring from the ministry he read law with Harris & McNeil and Cave & McInnes, and was called to the bar. The partnership in which he was engaged at the time of death, was formed in 1914.

Mr. Maitland was president of the Vancouver Canadian Club, 1917-18, three years chairman of the Vancouver Library Board, and was active in Vancouver public affairs.

His wife was Miss Jean Robb, of San Francisco, Ontario, whom he married in 1873, and there are two sons and three daughters.

He was a Freemason and a member of several clubs.

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SPRING FLOWER SHOW ON SATURDAY

South Saanich Women's Institute Holds Successful Function

A magnificent display of flowers attracted many visitors to the annual flower show of the South Saanich Women's Institute held at the Temperance Hall, Keating, on Saturday afternoon. One of the finest exhibits was that of the Dominion Experimental Farm, arranged by Professor Stevenson, and comprising magnificent daffodils, narcissus and hyacinth blooms.

The school children of Keating had a creditable showing of Spring flowers, while Mr. Bailey exhibited a fine collection of hothouse plants. The success of the affair redounds greatly to the credit of Mrs. Sutton, President of the Institute and general convener of the show.

The flower exhibits were judged by Professor Stevenson, and the awards for the stalls were made by Mrs. B. Deacon, of Sidney, and Mrs. H. Hall, of Garden City. The stalls, which were four in number, were: Work, Mrs. Deacon; home-cooking, Mrs. H. Hall; Lawrie and Mrs. H. Lawrie; candy, Miss Gale, Miss Myrtle Young and Miss Aletta Lawrie; ice cream, Mrs. Lemon and Miss Young.

The prize for the best decorated stalls were: First, candy; 2nd, home-cooking. The Government prizes for competitors receiving the most points were: First, Mrs. Mitchell; 2nd, second, Mrs. Walter Thompson; 3rd, in the evening an excellent musical program was given, the following soloists taking part: Mr. Somerville, Miss Evelyn Nimmo, Mr. W. Kersey, Mrs. Woods, Mr. Ibertson and Mr. A. Kersey.

Prize List

The prize list was as follows: Collection of six daffodils—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. Harrison. Jonquil—1, Mrs. Lophthien, Sidney. Single daffodil—Not claimed; 2, Mrs. Walker; 3, Mrs. Walter Thompson. Double daffodils—1, Mrs. H. Tanner; 2, Mrs. Mitchell; 3, Mrs. Harrison. Collection of twelve daffodils—1, Mrs. Walter Thompson; 2, Mrs. Sandover; 3, Mrs. Harrison. Single, three blooms—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. Harrison; 3, Mrs. Tanner. Single narcissus—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. Lemon; 3, Mrs. Tanner. Double narcissus—1, Mrs. Lophthien; 2, Mrs. Anderson; 3, Mrs. Mitchell.

Hyacinths

Hyacinths, white—1, Mrs. Walter Thompson; 2, Mrs. Harrison; 3, Mrs. Mitchell. Hyacinths, red—1, Mrs. W. Thompson; 2, Mrs. Mitchell. Hyacinths, blue—1, Mrs. Thompson; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson; 3, Mrs. Harrison. Hyacinths, pink—1, Mrs. W. Thompson; 2, Mrs. Mitchell. Hyacinths, cream—1, Mrs. W. Thompson. Hyacinths, bowl of six spikes—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Mitchell; 3, Mrs. W. Thompson. Roman hyacinths, six spikes—1, Mrs. W. Thompson. Grape hyacinths—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson; 3, Mrs. Sandover.

Tulips

Tulips, red—1, Mrs. B. Deacon, Sidney; 2, Mrs. B. Deacon, Sidney. Tulips, white—1, Mrs. Walker. Tulips, yellow—1, Mrs. W. Thompson. Tulips, variegated—1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Harrison; 3, Mrs. W. Thompson.

Other Flowers

Arabas (White Rock), single—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson; 3, Mrs. Gale. Arabas, double—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson. Primroses, bowl—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Miss Estelle Gould; 3, Mrs. Mitchell. Polyanthus—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Harrison; 3, Mrs. W. Thompson. Wallflowers—1, Mrs. Sandover; 2, Mrs. Mitchell; 3, Mrs. W. Thompson. Daisies, white—1, Mrs. Mitchell. Violets—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Gale. Violets—1, Miss Estelle Gould; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson. House plants, Irish moss—1, Mrs. Lemon; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson. Shamrock—1, Miss Cruise; 2, Mrs. Gould; 3, Mrs. Gale. Small table fern—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. E. Laurie. Asparagus fern—1, Mrs. Mitchell; 2, Mrs. Mitchell; 3, Mrs. Anderson.

Cyclamen—1, Mrs. Mitchell. Geranium, red—1, Mrs. Gale. Geranium, sweet-scented—1, Mrs. Mitchell. Asparagus fern—1, Mrs. Mitchell. Begonia—1, Mrs. Lemon; 2, Mrs. Mitchell. Begonia, red—1, Mrs. Gale. Begonia, pink—1, Mrs. Mitchell. Cactus—1, Mrs. Lemon. Cactus—1, Miss Estelle Gould; 2, Mrs. W. Thompson. Best table bouquet—1, Mrs. Harrison; 2, Mrs. Harrison; 3, Mrs. W. Thompson. Rhubarb—1, Mrs. Walker; 2, Mrs. Gould; 3, Mrs. Gale. Hanging baskets—1, Mrs. Gould. School Children's Exhibits. Best bouquet of wild lilies—1, May Anderson; 2, Evelyn Anderson; 3, Elsie Anderson. Best wild flowers—1, Morris Kersey; 2, Gordon Mitchell; 3, Doris Mitchell.

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THE RULE OF THE ROAD.

To the Editor.—I have an old reliable "driver," 1912 model. It will cost me \$25 to have this steering wheel altered to suit the left hand drive. Do you think the Government will allow me, say, \$20 to alter same?

ECONOMY.

WANTS A MEETING.

To the Editor.—Let us be fair to our members in the Legislature and give them an opportunity to come before the electors with adequate reasons for raising their own salaries under present conditions.

The Legislature sat for forty-seven days (not including Sundays) for finding this insufficient. They received themselves \$3.55 a day more, making a total of \$42.55 per day; also increased the Premier's and Cabinet Ministers' salaries \$1,500 this, after reducing the wages of their manual laborers 75c a day, refusing the statutory bonus for the civil servants, and declaring inability to meet the just demands for help from hospitals and municipalities. This invites some explanation.

Should the City Council decide to call a public meeting for this purpose, I should imagine the Arena would best all the bill, but in case they should be averse to any such action, I would respectfully suggest a meeting in Beacon Hill Park.

Time was indeed limited between the passing of the Constitution Act Amendment and the removal of members to their own homes, so no explanation has been possible. A public meeting supply the deficiency, and if no explanation was forthcoming, it would at least afford an opportunity for the members to express their intention of foregoing the increase and agreeing to a repeal of the Act.

GRACE JOHNSTON.

1139 Chapman Street, Victoria, April 9, 1921.

OUR DEEP SEA FISHERMEN.

To the Editor.—The existing conditions at our Northern fishing port (Prince Rupert) and the way that our deep sea fishermen are treated by the railways commission, is beyond comprehension.

We can't imagine the reason why there can't be a full supply of cars at all times to accommodate the business when there is plenty available. The same conditions existed all last year.

There is a strawberry patch at Gordon Head here and last year between twenty-seven cars were here to carry the crop. After the berries were taken it took ten cars to pack them away, and the other seventeen lay on the siding here for months, so I am told. Now, I say if a patch of strawberries obtains so much more attention than 120 deep sea fishing boats, it is disgraceful.

A visitor here now from Winnipeg told me the other night that he came by the way of Prince Rupert. He could fill orders for five carloads of halibut there for five cents a pound, on account of no cars to take them away. Such condition is absolutely unfair, unjust and certainly perpetrated by some corporations to damage and down the fishermen.

Now to come nearer home. Between the 15th of January and the 15th of March there was a close packing of cod from a line extending from Trial Island around to Nanaimo. On the 15th of March at 12 o'clock at night the season opened again. The next morning, the 16th, Victoria market was alive with cod jumping out of every fish market, and that is not the worst of it. I am informed on good authority that there are tens of thousands of pounds of cod rotting outside yet which are brought in by Orientals every morning. What do the authorities think of such actions?

The Minnie Berna was in again a short time ago after two weeks at Cape Scott grounds. She brought in 15,000 pounds halibut and cod. Not being able to sell any here she had to proceed to Vancouver, where she was confronted by a fleet of halibut boats from Prince Rupert. Owing to no cars to handle their catch, the Minnie Berna had to sell her catch for 12 cents for No. 1 halibut; 5 cents for No. 2 halibut, which is any fish below 10 pounds. She sold 1 cent per pound for deep sea cod caught off Cape Scott—5,000 pounds of prime cod for \$55, and the Orientals selling theirs for 8 cents per pound!

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Unemployment In Britain

How Evil Will Work Out Its Own Cure

By Sir Sidney Low, in The Daily Dispatch.

To speak quite plainly and crudely about unemployment is almost impossible for an active politician, and difficult even for the ordinary non-partisan commentator. The former might lose votes; the latter does not like to appear callous and unsympathetic.

You do not make yourself popular when you say that the present wave of unemployment is the natural result of preceding conditions. It is bound to come, and that it is itself helping to cure the malady of which it is the symptom.

A patient, ill and irritated by a bad attack of gout, is not always grateful when his doctor congratulates him because the suppressed disease has "come out" instead of lurking in the system. Yet this coming-out is the first essential step towards the restoration of normal health.

A Dropical State

We have had plethora of fulness in the economic and social system for years. The war, which has really impoverished the country, made it feel temporarily rich and fantastically prosperous. It was the prosperity of a young spend-thrift who has induced an accommodating usurer to lend him a good round sum on a post-office bill.

We raised thousands of millions mainly on our "expectations" by pledging our credit in the future. Five millions, six millions, seven millions a day were poured out from the Treasury, and most of it passed into the hands of manufacturers, shipowners, shopkeepers, and working people.

The capitalists and the profiteers did well, though the Government took back a good deal of their winnings by way of income tax, E. P. D., and other duties. Enough was left to make many members of these classes wealthy, and to lead to a great orgy of spending and extravagant luxury.

The working classes had more money than they had dreamed of possessing before, and they, too, spent it fast and recklessly. The standard of living rose—in itself a very good thing, of course—and prices went bounding upwards.

Labor asked for more wages to offset the increased cost of living, and got them. In the war, with the credits of the future to draw upon, Government and employers could not stop to haggle. They usually granted the advance; if they refused, the trade unions extorted it by strikes, and wages still continued to rise. Five pounds a week was common payment for the roughest kind of unskilled labor; lads of nineteen at a country railway station were—and are—paid more than the rector of the parish, and there were families in some industrial districts whose joint income was over £1,000 a year.

A Boom That Demoralized

The boom that came after the war, our manufacturers, though dislocated by the war, were still intact. A world, which had gone short of many things, wanted our wares and commodities, and we supplied them. A price. Wages kept up, frequently stimulated by strikes, and things became more expensive than ever.

Never was the cost of production so high. That would not have mattered so much if the output had been proportionately large. It was not. Unexpected and unlooked-for wealth does not foster habits of steady industry. The working man, with his higher wages and shorter hours, was producing less than his under-paid, over-worked predecessor. It was, on the whole, very natural, and one need not particularly blame him.

But the natural result followed. Coal, manufactured articles, and other commodities involved so to say a labor bill that they could not be produced at a profit unless they were sold at a price which customers would not pay.

Especially foreign customers. Other European countries had their cycle of war borrowing, inflated wages, reduced production, labor inefficiency, and slackness. But it did not go to our level, and it did not last long.

Our Customers Jib

The bad times came quickly, and employers and workmen in France, Belgium, and Germany saw that the only hope for their country and themselves was to produce rapidly and cheaply.

They set to work, discarded short hours, indulged in strikes in strict accordance with the principle of themselves with many things which at first they were taking from us at almost any price.

Aided by their over-inflated exchange rates they were even able to outbid us in neutral markets. The demand for British goods fell off everywhere, abroad and at home; the costs kept up, including the cost of raw materials and transport. Employers, squeezed between high wages, high prices, and lessened output, found themselves trading at a loss.

How could shipowners, and importers at English ports, compete with Amsterdam, Rotterdam, and Hamburg when it cost three times as much to unload or repair a ship at an English instead of a foreign wharf?

They began to dismiss their employees, and then to close down their businesses. Newhaven, a flourishing place before the war, and a bustling port, is now a desolate place, and lies lifeless and desolate. Naturally, for the shipper pays 27s. now for a job which could be done in 1914 for 2s.

German electrical appliances can be sold in England for 6s. a dozen for which the English manufacturer charges 36s.

France and Italy, twelve months ago striving for metal, paid the most outrageous prices out of which we were keeping up our colliers' wages. That bonus has disappeared. American coal can be shipped in Havre and Genoa at less than half the figure.

Our entirely artificial export coal trade has collapsed; deprived of it, many of our poorer pits are worked at a loss.

There is only one remedy, or rather, two—lower wages and increased production. These secured, prices will fall; manufacturers will take more men again; and unemployment will be gradually reduced. Wages must come down.

Workmen don't like the idea—again I say very naturally. Which of us cares to live on a lower scale

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Aggravating the Evil. They would not like to be told that the strike of a handful of moulders held up and damped down our whole

engineering trades for weeks, and that tens of thousands of unemployed owe their distress directly to the industrial crisis "lie for the most part abroad." They would not like to be told that "adequate maintenance" at a week for all who have not got employment to their liking would only aggravate the evil and complete the country's ruin.

And they most certainly would not care to bear that this present bitter spell of unemployment and partial employment will in the end redeem the position.

The Government cannot reduce wages; the trade unions will not. Unemployment, that gaunt and grisly spectre, stalks upon the scene. It has laid its hand of ice upon our aspirations and delusions, and will push us back to the plain, hard, cold reality.

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BOSCAWEN, BRITISH MINISTER, ELECTED

London, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press)—In addition to the Taunton by-election result announced Saturday, two others of several by-elections, necessitated by the recent Cabinet changes have been cleared away. Col. Gibbs has been re-elected in Bristol West, and there is no opposition to Sir J. Gilmour for the Pollok division of Glasgow. Both candidates occupy minor Cabinet positions

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BRIGHTER HOPES.

One of the most hopeful features of Great Britain's industrial crisis is the mutual agreement to meet and discuss the means of settlement. Of more especial significance is the fact that the mines—with the miners' consent—will be saved from destruction. As one of the Labor leaders appropriately observed, the two points taken together constitute no other victory save that "for a common cause." But it must not be supposed that the owners and the men will be brought to terms by the first conference or that work will be resumed immediately. The best that can be hoped for is that the strike order issued by the Triple Alliance will be cancelled or held in abeyance while negotiations are in progress. In the meantime a very wide gulf separates the minimum demand of the Miners' Federation and the maximum amount the owners are prepared to grant without the aid of a Government subsidy.

The men themselves insist upon a national wage and the pool of profits in order that uniformity of scale shall obtain in all localities. On the other hand there are no indications that the operators intend to retreat from their positive objection to accede to this condition. In addition to this there is prospect of little more than temporary government relief for the owners by way of subsidy. At the same time the Miners' Federation, the Triple Alliance, the Government and the owners evidently have reached the view that the question must be settled before the value of a settlement shall be considerably reduced by inevitable developments. The attitude of the nation as a whole very probably has been responsible for the more moderate frame of mind and as long as all parties to the dispute keep their heads a calamity may be averted.

If the underlying motive of the more determined attitude of the miners be nationalization the best thing Mr. Lloyd George can do is to give the people of the country an opportunity to express themselves in whatever manner may be deemed advisable as soon as the immediate problem has been disposed of. He it was who promised that his Government would abide by the findings of the Sankey Commission. One of its recommendations favored consideration of the subject. Nothing happened but a flat refusal to do any such thing. The present strike, look at it as he may, owes part of its origin at least to this seeming breach of faith. But no Government dare commit the country to such a policy unless it had first obtained a specific mandate.

STOOL PIGEONS.

Victoria's police force is just as successful in its efforts to enforce the British Columbia Prohibition Act as any other organization in the Province. It is not an easy task. Scarcely another law on the statute books presents such complexities and difficulties. Nevertheless, there is no argument that can be advanced in support of the use of stool pigeons. The system is revolting to every decent citizen. Public morality very naturally demands a rigid enforcement of the laws of the land. But the public conscience is not going to be disturbed by the small number of infractions of the British Columbia Prohibition Act which could be detected only by the use of a degrading system. The work of an intelligent and conscientious officer—even if it be not altogether spectacular—is worth more than the occasional coup by a "rat."

MUST PROVE ITS CASE.

Until the British Labor Party makes up its mind to refrain from holding the country to ransom every time a difference of opinion arises between an employer and an employee it may just as well assign its desire for a larger share in the administration of the country's affairs. Every by-election since the last general appeal of the Government has reflected the prevailing attitude of the general public towards the particular economic problem of the moment. In most cases it has given the cold shoulder to the workmen's representative because of its hesitancy to increase his parliamentary influence.

Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen's defeat in the Dudley contest was brought about by a Labor candidate whose political sagacity discovered a popular plank upon which to appeal for support. And if an Independent Liberal, or a representative of another political party, had chosen to run against the newly-appointed Minister of Agriculture it is quite likely that he would have won just as decisive a victory. But what has happened at Taunton? Sir Arthur fought a straight fight against a candidate supported by the Labor Party. He succeeded in obtaining nearly five thousand votes more than his adversary.

The inference is obvious. The people went to the polls last Friday seized with the fact that another attempt was being made by British Labor to drive them in a direction in which they refused to go. No proceeding of that kind can succeed in Great Britain. Until Labor proves its case by a practical demonstration of its ability to govern, of its distaste for imported systems of government, one of the old parties or a coalition of the two will remain in authority at Westminster.

LEAVE WELL ALONE.

Now that provision has been made for the restoration of South Vancouver's municipal status there seems to be a growing impression that the present system of administration would be better for all concerned for the time being. It is an undisputed fact that the control of the locality's financial affairs by the Minister of Finance through the Government's Commissioner has restored general confidence with the financial houses. But whether that confidence could be retained by a too early return to the regular form of civic government is a matter for conjecture. Some of the more level-headed citizens who are not concerned about the political significance of South Vancouver's former, present, or future state, are of the opinion that the people had better let well alone. And in view of the fact that the Government would require to maintain a general supervision for the sake of its own investment there is much to commend this reasonable view.

PLEBISCITE ON BEER?

When the people of this Province went to the polls last October the majority of them voted in favor of a system of Government control and sale of spirituous and malt liquor in sealed packages. The two questions submitted were perfectly clear to everybody and the verdict was equally emphatic. If the Legislature had chosen to interpret its instruction from the people in a manner different from that which marked the construction of the measure which is now the law of the land it would have exposed itself to attack. To have included what is now known as a beer clause to provide for the public drinking of the malt product by the glass a wrong interpretation of the plebiscite vote would have been made. Whether such a course would have found favor with public opinion is another matter entirely. And it is because of a general belief that the Act as it stands will encourage the consumption of hard liquor that there is something to be said in favor of a plebiscite to settle what may develop into a troublesome point. Unfortunately this phase of the controversy was not enlarged upon,

if it were mentioned in public at all, before the plebiscite was taken. Otherwise the whole thing could have been settled. But the electorate must remain the final arbiter in a matter of this sort.

STILL IN TROUBLE.

If the people of Greece really expected that the return of King Constantine would result in their early deliverance from the necessity to fight they have been woefully disillusioned by this time. The King himself is hopeful of victory over the Turks in Asia Minor; but the fact remains that the forces of Kemal Pasha considerably outnumber those of Greece and it will require much more than official optimism to bring about success for the newly-planned offensive. Added to this obvious condition is the fact that the Government of Athens is not encouraged by the result of an appeal for volunteers from a self-confessed war weary people. All of which would appear to promise another national crisis even to the extent of a demand for the return of Venizelos. He is the one man who saved Greece from dishonor and disaster. Will Greek history repeat itself? One thing is certain—if the Kemalists continue their successes in the field there will be a popular outcry for a new leader. There is nobody half as capable to take the job in hand as the virtually exiled patriot.

NOTE AND COMMENT

The Carpenter-Dempsey engagement to settle the world's heavyweight championship provides a striking commentary upon the price the public will pay to have its appetite for sensation whetted.

If the Greek people could have another plebiscite to choose between Constantine's leadership and that of the exiled Venizelos our bet is that the last decision would be reversed. Tino has failed to "deliver the goods."

According to The London Times there is a suspicion abroad in the Dominions that Mr. Churchill will spring some new scheme of imperial reorganization at the June gathering of Empire premiers. He may spring it; but the Dominion representatives and Mr. Churchill's colleagues will be there also.

HOROSCOPE

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This should be an unusually fortunate day, according to astrology. Mercury, Jupiter, Uranus and the Sun are all in benefic aspect. It is a time most propitious for signing leases or entering into new contracts. There is a lucky sign for initiative of all sorts.

Messages of import from foreign nations will be received while this aspect prevails, the stars foretell. There will be much interest in European affairs this month and next. Uranus, so smiling toward the Earth that it is held to be most favorable. An access of wisdom seems to be promised to those who deal in large affairs. Persons who hold exalted positions of trust or responsibility should benefit from this away, which makes for administrative ability. Aviation continues subject to a rule that promises much practical use within the year. Again, interest in psychic phenomena will revive, and it is prophesied that scientific investigations will lead to amazing discoveries within the year. A woman is to achieve a place not hitherto occupied by one of her sex. The stars declare that there is the best possible augury for women in public affairs, but they will gain through slow and deliberate advancement. Persons whose birthdate is 1 is should be careful in their associations with persons of opposite sex. In business there will be a successful year. Children born on this day will be clever and accomplished, and should easily win success in whatever they attempt.

BOARD REFUSES TO GRANT APPLICATION

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These railway facilities would be provided. It was a costly affair for a mill in a position to ship five or six carloads a day to have to rely on trucking to load to cars on a railway that had no spur into the mill. G. H. Spurr, president, and W. H. Dawes, secretary of the Sidney Board of Trade, also spoke on the advantages that would accrue to Sidney and district as a result of an interchange system. Mr. Walton, who is head of the Sidney Mills, spoke on the subject from the standpoint of lumber shipments, and Mr. Dawes explained that the building of the "transfer" would result in Sidney being able to get its fuel supply delivered by rail instead of trucking it from Victoria.

WILL NOT POSTPONE CASE INDEFINITELY

Municipalities Must Be Ready With Objections to Telephone Increases

Indefinite postponement of the hearing of the application of the B. C. Telephone Company for increased rates will not be countenanced, and municipalities wishing to oppose the application must be ready with their case in reasonable time. Hon. F. B. Carvell, Chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, announced at the hearing here this morning.

Two Reverses Spoke. When the matter was reached Reeve Lockley, of Esquimalt, at once rose to his feet and asked that at least a three months' and if possible, a six-months' postponement be granted in order to give the municipalities an opportunity of preparing their case. A lot of expert investigation was required, and it would be manifestly unfair to proceed with the case, he said.

Reeve Watson, of Saanich, took the same stand. He also claimed that it was inappropriate for the company to ask increases. "If the Telephone Company had been allowed to carry on until now, there is no necessity for increases when labor and material costs are falling," said Mr. Watson.

From Business Men. Geo. I. Warren, president of the Associated Board of Trade of Vancouver Island, also claimed it was no time to ask for an increase when prices were falling and asked that the application be brought out altogether, or in the alternative, a postponement be granted.

F. Moore, of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, opposed the application on the ground that Eastern cities were getting cheaper service. He compared the Victoria business telephone rate of \$4.50 with Calgary \$5; Toronto \$5; Winnipeg \$5; and Regina, a complicated system calculated according to distance, but averaging \$3. Prices of residence telephones in these cities were also compared. "It is the desire in all parts of Canada that prices should be brought down," he said.

Must Have Margin. Mr. Carvell pointed out that such institutions as the B. C. Telephone Company must be maintained on revenues allowing for a reasonable margin of profit. It must either be maintained by the people who use it, or else by the taxpayers. The Bell Telephone Company, of Toronto, had reported operating at a loss, and the Board granted permission to increase the rates ten per cent. In Calgary, Regina and Winnipeg the telephone is operated by the Province.

J. O. Cameron pointed out that in some of the materials supplied by the mills in connection with telephone operations there had been a reduction of fifty per cent. in price.

"We are not going to make an order without giving the people a chance intelligently to satisfy themselves that it is warranted, but we will serve to ourselves just how much time will be given to prepare their case. This Board has never yet unnecessarily crowded people to a conclusion without being heard. The idea of dragging out cases three or four years is not the way to conduct business of this kind. However, this matter will be coming before the Board again at Vancouver to-morrow morning," said Mr. Carvell.

AGED SEATTLE MAN KILLED HIMSELF

Seattle, April 11.—Sick with an incurable ailment and stricken by poverty, John W. Carver, seventy-four years old, hanged himself from a window of the Hotel Diller yesterday morning.

McCarthy had lived at the Diller all winter. He had been a patient in a sanatorium; but apparently his advanced age made his recovery from tuberculosis impossible and he had left the sanatorium some months ago. His room rent was low over the money he had expected from relatives in the East had not come.

BRITISH OWNERS OF MINES AND STRIKERS HOLD CONFERENCES

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actual pumping of the mines, but only in protective duties. It is said that altogether twenty-three pits were flooded, mostly small ones.

The War Office announced that Lieut.-Gen. Lord Cavan had been appointed to the chief command of the London and Aldershot districts, with headquarters at Horse Guards, for the present emergency.

Expectations. London, April 11.—The Government was expected, according to The London Times, to offer at to-day's conference between the coal mine owners and the striking miners' representatives temporary assistance which would tide the mine owners over a difficult period, and the newspaper declared this action would materially assist the parties to the controversy in arriving at a settlement. The Times, however, warned its readers against expectations that the negotiations would proceed smoothly or that work would be immediately resumed, as the fundamental differences between the parties still remained acute.

Labor Leaders. Leaders of the "Triple Alliance" of labor to-day viewed the situation as being considerably improved. John Robert Clynes, chairman of the Parliamentary Labor Party, being quoted as saying he was satisfied a solution of the problem could be found. The chief question to be met is how to reconcile the demand of the mine owners for district wage settlements involving drastic cuts in localities where expenses exceed revenues and the miners' demand for a national wage system and a national profits pool to keep wages level in all districts.

Pool. The Daily Herald, Labor organ, declared the miners would stipulate at to-day's meeting as the first essential condition that the national wage and profits pool, against which the owners are adamant. Failing to secure these two demands, the newspaper asserted the order for a strike by the "Triple Alliance" would be effective Tuesday midnight.

"The first round has been won by labor," declared The Herald, which claimed reports that railwaymen and various centres opposed joining the

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strike were untrue or grossly exaggerated.

Pumping.

"Information has reached the Government," said The Times, "that everywhere but in Fifehire the miners are observing instructions from their officials not to interfere with safety measures and pumping, which already have been begun in South Wales and elsewhere."

U. S. Gets Trade.

New York, April 11.—The British miners' strike is driving foreign coal business to the United States, Charles A. Owen, president of the Tidewater Coal Exchange, announced last night. "United States wholesalers during the last week have received many inquiries for quotations from foreign buyers and are seriously contending for Europe's future business," he said.

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Nanose	02	Chilliwack	02
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Involves Same Method. "5. That to transport lumber and shingles, in carloads from Gerrard and Roseberry involves the same method of transportation as employed in movements of like traffic from Vancouver Island points, namely by rail-water-rail.

"6. That rates on lumber and shingles, in carloads, from Vancouver Island to points East of Camrose, Alberta, are unreasonable, unjust and excessive; the extent that said rates exceed Coast or Vancouver rates, thereby subjecting the manufacturers on Vancouver Island to undue prejudice and discrimination.

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"7. FURTHER, That Defendants publish and maintain carload rates on other commodities from points on Vancouver Island to points East of Camrose, Alberta, which rates are the same from said points on Vancouver Island as in effect and apply from Vancouver, B. C. (For the purpose and intent of this complaint one such example is sufficient to illustrate as follows):

"In tariff CP No. W-4651, CRC No. W-2560, E&N Ry. No. 559, CRC No. 473, Item 410, Defendants publish and maintain the same carload rates on Prepared Building and Roofing Paper from Sidney, Vancouver Island, B. C., as from Vancouver, B. C., to Calgary, Alberta, Camrose, Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Strathcona, Alberta, Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Regina, Saskatchewan, and Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

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The former Kaiserin of Germany, who died to-day, was in her sixty-third year, having been born in 1858, a daughter of Frederick, Duke of Schleswig-Holstein. She was married on February 27, 1881, to Prince Wilhelm, afterwards Kaiser of Germany; whose exile she shared from the ending of the Great War until her death.

Besides Wilhelm, the widower, she leaves five sons and one daughter—Friedrich Wilhelm, Eitel Friedrich, Adolf, August Wilhelm and Oskar, and Victoria Louise. The other son, Joachim, committed suicide nine months ago.

EX-KAISERIN DIED AT DOORN HOUSE

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restore her health. When her son, Joachim Hohenzollern, committed suicide in Berlin last July she was in such a serious condition that the news of his death was kept from her for a long time, and it is said she never learned her son had killed himself.

Rallied.

Late last Autumn her condition gradually became worse, and on several occasions her children were called to Doorn, but her strength was such that she rallied when the end was believed near. Since the first of the year it has been known that she was gradually sinking.

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These are reliable goods direct from the mills; 29 inches wide; regularly 65¢, 70¢ and 75¢. Now offered at, a yard, **45¢**, **50¢** and **55¢**

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Good Values in the Children's Dept.

Children's Colored Silk Caps, trimmed with buttons; shown in assorted colors, including rose, green, blue and pink; sizes for 2 to 10 years. Special at **75¢**

Children's Cotton Zimmerknit Dresses, in navy; a jersey and skirt combined; most suitable for play dresses; sizes 2 to 7 years. Special at **\$1.50**

Boys' Two-Piece Knit Suits, consisting of pants attached to bodice and separate jersey; in shades of navy, brown and sage; sizes 2 to 5 years. Special at, a suit **\$1.75**

Children's Black Cashmerette Bloomers, with elastic at the waist and knee; sizes for the ages of 6 to 14 years. Special at **\$1.25**

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Women's White Cotton Nightgowns at \$1.90

Women's White Cotton Nightgowns, in slip-over and button front styles. Gowns trimmed with lace, embroidery and fancy stitching. Values to \$2.75. Odd lines clearing at, each **\$1.90**

—Whitewear, First Floor

Flannelettes, Canton Flannel and Flannelette Sheeting at Much Lower Prices

Cream Flannelettes

Regular 40¢ values at, a yard **25¢**
Regular 45¢ values at, a yard **30¢**
Regular 50¢ values at, a yard **35¢**
Regular 60¢ values at, a yard **40¢**
Regular 70¢ values at, a yard **50¢**

Striped Flannelette

Regular 55¢ values at, a yard **35¢**
Regular 60¢ values at, a yard **40¢**
Stripe Ceylon Flannel, regular 95¢. Selling at, a yard **60¢**
64-Inch Cream Flannelette Sheeting, regular **\$1.25**. At **90¢**

White Canton Flannels

Regular 25¢ values at, a yard **15¢**
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Regular 40¢ values at, a yard **25¢**
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Unbleached Canton Flannels

Regular 25¢ values at, a yard **15¢**
Regular 30¢ values at, a yard **20¢**
Regular 35¢ values at, a yard **25¢**
Regular 45¢ values at, a yard **30¢**
72-Inch Cream Flannelette Sheeting, regular **\$1.50**. On sale at, a yard **\$1.00**

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Furniture for Your Camp At Moderate Prices

Folding Lawn Chairs, adjustable to four positions; it has a hardwood frame and varnish finish, a strong duck seat, and can be folded flat for convenient transportation. Special value at **\$2.75**

Folding Lawn Chairs, with arms, adjustable to four positions; it has hardwood frame in golden finish, a seat of strong, colored duck. Splendid value at **\$3.25**
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Canvas Stools with maple frames, with seats of white duck. Special at **\$1.00**

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We Deliver to Out-of-Town Districts According to The Following Schedule—

ON MONDAY—Starting at Cadboro Bay Hotel and covering Gordon Head district, Little Cordova Bay, Cordova Bay, Sayward, Michel, East Keatings, Stelly's Crossing, Turgoose, Saanichton, Experimental Farm, Breed's Crossing, Thomas's Crossing, Sidney district as far as North's Cross Roads, returning to Cordova Bay Road on the East Saanich Road to Royal Oak Hotel. This will cover east of Saanich Road.

ON TUESDAY—Starting at Craigflower Bridge, to Four-Mile House, Palmer's Station, Six-Mile House, Atkins' Road, Colwood Hotel, Colwood Station, Langford Lake, Goldstream Hotel, returning via Station Road District, covering deliveries to Luxton, Happy Valley, Albert Head, Lagoon District, Colwood District from Albert Head Road to Colwood Hotel.

ON THURSDAY—Starting at Glanford Avenue and delivering at Strawberry Vale, Portage Inlet, Glynn, Eberts, Westwood Vale, Prospect, West Keatings, Tod Inlet, Brentwood, Sluggets, West Stelly's Crossing, through West Road to Patricia Bay and Deep Cove through North's Cross Roads to East Saanich Road as far as Royal Oak.

ON FRIDAY—Four-Mile House, Six-Mile House, Eight-Mile House, Hatley Park, Colwood, Luxton, Happy Valley, Metehosin, William Head and Main Albert Head.

ON SATURDAY—Cadboro Bay Hotel, Gordon Head district, Mount Douglas, Lost Lake, Little Cordova, Cordova Bay, Sayward, Cordova Bay Road to East Saanich Road to Royal Oak Hotel, Prospect Lake, Strawberry Vale, Portage Inlet and Highland district as far as Palmer's Crossing.

"Admiral" Middy and Balkan Waists The Latest Vogue in Middies

In this recent shipment the very latest styles in Middy Waists are represented. They are exceedingly well designed and made and will be greatly in demand for Summer wear.

One "Balkan" Middy Waist is made from white jean, with wide sailor collar in contrasting shades of navy, cadet and rose. It has laced front attached and wide belt that closes at each side with buttons. Very special at **\$2.50**

All-White "Balkan" Waists of middy twill, with sailor collar trimmed with three rows of white cotton braid, breast pocket, laced front and short sleeves. At **\$1.90**

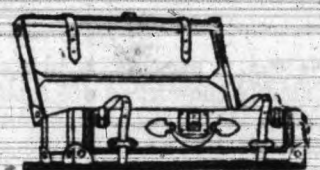
Colored Jean Middy Waists, with lower edge finished with cuff; slip-on styles, with sailor collar and Nelson tie and short sleeves. Shown in shades of navy, cadet and reseda. At **\$2.50**

Navy Flannel Regulation Middy Waists, with laced front, sailor collar trimmed with white silk braid and full length sleeves with open cuffs. A pretty design. At **\$7.50**

—Waists, First Floor—Phone 6396



Well Constructed Suit Cases At Low Prices



A Tau Fibre Case, made in imitation of real leather, fitted with brass lock and catches, leather corners and sewn leather handle. It has fancy lining, shirt fold and two outside straps. Size 26 inches and excellent value at **\$5.95**

Week-End Suit Cases of imitation leather, and fitted with lock, key and leather corners. It has a strong handle and is shown in sizes 16 inch at **\$2.70** and 18 inch at **\$2.90**

Large Size Fibre Matting Suit Cases, with leather corners and two outside leather straps, well made and finished. Size 24 inch at **\$5.95** and 26 inch at, each **\$6.15**

Leather Tags, for bags and cases, at **15¢** and **25¢**

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Wire Grass Rugs for Summer Home or Camp

Strong grass rugs in artistic colors; a suitable rug for Summer camp or home.

Rugs 9 x 12 at **\$10.75** Rugs 4-6 x 7 at **\$2.95**
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Rugs 6 x 9 at **\$4.95** Rugs 2 x 4 at **95¢**

—Carpets, Second Floor—Phone 1246

"Homart" Casement Cloth at 70¢ and \$1.00

"Homart" Casement Cloth is inexpensive and most serviceable as casement curtains or side drapes; the new colors shown include, sage blue, green, brown and biscuit. Cloth 38 inches wide, selling at, yard, **70¢**
Cloth 48 inches wide, selling at, a yard **\$1.00**

—Drapery, Second Floor—Phone 1246

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

DEMONSTRATION OF JACOBS' DUBLIN BISCUITS IN THE GROCETERIA

A full selection, including the following: Orange cream, nut wheat, petit beurre, oval rich digestive, ginger nut, thin arrowroot, fancy lunch, cream sandwich, Osborne, golden puff, cheese assorted, milk, wave crest, cream cracker, Italian wafer, **30¢** a package.
Jello, 2 packages **23¢**
Five Roses Flour, 7-pound sack **47¢**
Malik's Best Tea, pound **54¢**
Klondyke Soap, large bars **33¢**
Royal Crown Cleanser, 2 packages **11¢**
Royal Crown Naptha Soap, 2 cakes **11¢**
Libby's Apple Butter, 25¢ tins **16¢**
Cowan's Cocoa, half-pound tins **25¢**
Cowan's Eagle Sweet Chocolate, half-pound cakes; 25¢ value **18¢**
Chase & Sanborne's Coffee, pound **55¢**
Post Toasties Corn Flakes, package **11¢**
Shredded Wheat, package **14¢**
Libby's Pineapple 2's. Per tin **33¢**
Canadian Macaroni, 1-pound packages; 20¢ value **16¢**

Provision Counter Bulletin

Pork Pies; at, each **5¢**
Standard Bacon (sliced); at, lb. **40¢**
Standard Bacon, half or whole; at, lb. **35¢**
Unsmoked Bacon (sliced); at, lb. **38¢**
Smoked Picnic Hams; at, lb. **35¢**
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Lynn Valley Peas—No. 2 tins: regular 40c. **33c**
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Sugar House Molasses—Ten-pound tins: regular 90c value at **75c**; 5-lb. tins regular 50c value at **39c**

SPECIAL ALL WEEK IN DRUG DEPARTMENT
Citrate of Magnesia—Regular 40c bottles for **29c**
Sunset Dyes—All colors; regular 15c values. At 3 packets for **30c**

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Maple Sugar—Regular 50 squares. At 4 for **15c**
Hooton's Imperial Yacht Chocolate—Regular 40c cakes for **30c**

Cooper's Plum and Prune Jam—Four-pound tins **80c**
Loganberry Jam—Four-pound tins **98c**
St. Williams Strawberry Jam—Four-pound tins **\$1.10**
Climax Jam—Four-pound tins **70c**

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SOON! PRESENT

Dancing as a pastime is losing none of its popularity in spite of the advent of warmer weather, and a big crowd of visitors enjoyed the weekly tea-dance at the Empress Hotel on Saturday. Among the many present were Mrs. Crawley, Mrs. O. W. Ross, Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. Bosworth, Mrs. Harold Eberts, Mrs. McKinnon, Mrs. W. B. Langman, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. F. M. Rattenbury, Miss Mary Rattenbury, Miss Mary Gordon, Mrs. Maybee, Mr. Harvey, Mr. Murray, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Hunter, Miss Monteith, Miss Dockrill, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Farrow, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sowers, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, of Vancouver; Mrs. H. Briggs, Miss Heyland, Miss Dorothy Stuart-Robertson, Miss Isabel Wilson, Miss Mary Mitchell, Miss Rose, of Vancouver; Miss Langton, Miss Kitty Fraser, Miss Michaelis, Miss Lilian Michaelis, Miss Ruth McBride, Mrs. Peters, of Pittsburg, Penn., are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

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H. J. Boyd and Mrs. Boyd, of Seattle; Mrs. John P. Boyd and Miss Boyd, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Foley and Mrs. Foley, of Portland, are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

The Gordon Road Women's Institute will meet in Gordon Road Hall at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to consider its programme for the year. In addition, general business will be discussed.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran paragonage was the scene of a very pretty wedding Saturday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock, when Mr. Martin Hagman and Miss Matilda Sandekirst, both Winter visitors in Victoria from Alberta, were united in holy wedlock.

The Lutheran service was read by the pastor, Rev. R. F. Kibler. The bride and groom were unattended. The happy couple will leave for their new home in Alberta in the near future. Mr. Hagman is the owner of a large ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Gordon Marshall, of Vancouver, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Margaret Enid (Bobs) to Mr. William Edmond Poupore, eldest son of the late James Edward Poupore and Mrs. Poupore, of Vancouver. The marriage has been arranged to take place on June 14.

J. D. Brook and Mrs. Brook, A. J. Jenkins and R. Cook, of Winnipeg; A. Koetz, of Bon Accord, all registered at the Dominion Hotel yesterday.

Messrs. G. Anderson and G. Gibney returned to Victoria yesterday after a pleasant automobile tour of Vancouver Island with a party of friends.

N. W. Rhodes, of Tofino, A. M. Hilton and son, of Courtenay, are new arrivals at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Hoge, and party of Seattle, crossed on the Wenatchee Saturday.

Miss Kitty Collison, 905 Cook Street, has as her guest Miss Evelyn Greene, of Kelowna.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newell, of Vancouver, spent the week end at the Empress Hotel.

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JEW AND GERMAN NOW RETURNING TO THE HOLY LAND

Miss Ethel Clark, of Victoria, Sends Interesting Description of Jerusalem

Jerusalem, the city whose Biblical associations invest it with the veneration of Christians the world over, is the one hand, the sacrosanct places identified with Christ and on the other, the dirt and squalor and the hordes of maimed and beggars inseparable from the Near East. This is the impression gained by Miss Ethel Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Girling Clark, of 1710 Holly-

wood Crescent, Victoria, who recently visited the Holy Land in the course of a holiday from her labors with the American Relief Mission to the Armenians.

To a wealth of experience gained in the war areas where she served as a V. A. D. and in Cyprus and Egypt, where her work in connection with the Armenian Relief has taken her, Miss Clark now adds vignettes of the Holy City.

Sacred Spots.
Writing to her parents recently she gives an interesting description of the city and people, and her letter in part, reads as follows:

"The Holy City has changed very little since the days of Christ. I have visited the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the temple, Calvary, the site of the birth of Christ and Bethlehem, the tomb of Lazarus, Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane and tombs innumerable. The whole place is teeming with relics of the Old and New Testaments.

The city itself is most fascinating in the Holy Land.

With her letter she sent a spray of violets gathered in the Garden of Gethsemane and a scarlet anemone from the Tomb of Lazarus. Miss Clark expects to leave for Constantinople in May, where an orphanage is being opened for destitute Armenian children who have lost their parents.

FORGOT HE'D MOVED
Two friends reached Waterloo station very late one night—or the early one morning—only to find that one of them had missed his last train home.

The other, who lived in the Weybridge district, was more fortunate, and insisted upon taking his friend along with him.

"You mustn't mind a walk, old chap," he said as they left Weybridge station. "My house is a good mile away."

"Lead on," said his companion, and they footed it together.

It was a filthy night, raining in torrents, and they did the first three-quarters of a mile in comparative silence. The host suddenly halted.

"What's up, old boy?" inquired his friend.

"Up!" retorted the other. "I forgot. We moved to Reigate yesterday!"

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St. Joseph's Hospital.

Comox—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the St. Joseph's Hospital recently held the annual meeting at the hospital. It was very gratifying to note the increased interest taken in the Auxiliary during the past year by the very large attendance at the meeting and the enrolling of 16 new members. The election of officers for the ensuing year took place. The officers for the year are:

President, Mrs. Sutton; vice-presi-

dent, Mrs. Haggerty; secretary, Mrs. Liddle; treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Booth; executive committee, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Millard, Mrs. Richard Taylor, Mrs. Butters, Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Hopkins.

Actors To Visit.

Courtenay—Courtenay will have a three weeks' theatrical engagement beginning on Thursday night, April 21, when the Athol Company of players will appear at the Maple Leaf Theatre. The advance notice for the attraction states that this company has played 43 weeks at the Orpheum Theatre in Seattle, 72 weeks at the Strand and Lyric Theatres in Portland, Oregon; 23 weeks at the Princess and Hippodrome Theatres, San Francisco; 21 weeks at the Columbia Theatre in Vancouver, B. C. and 9 weeks at the Hippodrome Theatre in Spokane.

Rotary Club Entertains

Nanaimo—Over two hundred boys and fifty adults were the guests of the Nanaimo Rotary Club, Friday night at a social time and presentation to the members of the second division junior football league. The gathering was one of the most successful that has ever been held here. The supper prepared by the club was most excellent, every boy being thoroughly satisfied. John Shaw, who presided, called on Mr. Manager and Mr. Sutton to speak about the work carried on by the league executive. Mr. Wardill was then called upon to present his cup to the Foresters, the winning team. W. C. Shady, of Vancouver, in a short speech, presented the medals to the champions. A musical evening followed, which was enjoyed by all present.

DANGER SIGNALS AT ROAD CROSSINGS

To overcome the criticism of the Saanich Council that automobile danger signals for use at hazardous crossings would be liable to damage by mischievous persons, W. R. Finlay, the inventor of these reflectors, says if the Council will put a warning sign over them, as is done in the State of Washington, he will undertake to replace damaged instruments. On account of the success of these instruments elsewhere, the matter will be brought up again on Thursday for further explanation. Last week the Council did not go further with a proposal to deal with the subject.

IN GOOD COMPANY

It is not considered etiquette for barristers on circuit to travel in a Judge's carriage, still less in the same compartment as the Lord Chancellor. A barrister, as remarkable for his bulk as for his never-failing wit, was puffing about a railway platform, looking for a seat in a train, when the Lord Chancellor, taking compassion, invited him to his own compartment. "What a mountain of flesh you are, my friend," he remarked. "You puff and blow like a porpoise." "Just so, my lord," agreed the barrister. "I'm fit company for the Great Seal."

THE RIDDLE OF THE FROZEN FLAME

By MARY E. AND THOMAS W. HANSEW

"My dear Cleek!" he expostulated. "Really, one might think that you actually enjoyed this sort of thing! One of these fine days, if you're not careful, you'll be caught napping, and I'll take all Dollops's and my ingenuity to get you out of the clutches. I beg of you to be careful—for Alisa's sake, if not for mine."

At mention of the name, for a second the whole look upon Cleek's face altered. Something came into his eyes that softened their keenness, something settled down over his countenance, wiping away the mirth and the grim lines together. He sighed. "Helgho!" he said, softly, spinning round upon his heel and surveying Mr. Narkom with a half-smile upon his lips. "I will be careful, dear friend. I promise. And I have given my word to her—as well. And that the life of Hamilton Cleek should be so precious to any such angel as that—well, it fair bears me out, as Dollops would say. I'll be careful, all right. You may depend upon it. But Dollops and I are going to have a little outing to-night. We'll ransack the 'make-up' box after lunch and see what it can produce. And if we don't bring back something worth hearing to you on our return to-night, then I'll return to Spotland Yard altogether and take a kindergarten class."

Gad! But there's another course open to us at present but to keep him where he is. Coroner's inquest takes place to-morrow afternoon, and let me beguine in the meantime. Mr. Narkom gravely shook his head. "Don't like the thing at all, Headland," he supplemented slowly, lighting a fresh cigarette from the stump of the other one and blowing a cloud of smoke into the air. "There's something here that we haven't got at. Something big. I feel it."

"Well, you'll have that feeling further augmented before many more days are over, my friend," returned Cleek, meaningly. "What did the letter from Headquarters say? I noticed you got out this morning, and recognized it by the way the stamp was set on the envelope—though I must say your secretary is more than discreet. It looks for all the world like a love-letter, which no doubt your curious friend Borkins thought it was."

But if Cleek appeared in fine fettle at the prospect of a possible evening with Dollops, Mr. Narkom's barometer did not register the same comforting high altitude. He did not smile.

"Oh, it had to do with these continual bank robberies," he replied with a sigh. "They're enough to wear a man right out. Seen so simple, and all that, and yet never a trace of a fellow who reports that another one took place, at Ealing. As usual, only gold stolen. Not a bank-note touched. They'll be holding us up in the near road, like Dick Turpin, if the robbers are allowed to continue on their way like this. It's damnable, to say the least. The best way to get off scot-free every time. If this case here wasn't so difficult and important, I'd be off up to London to have a look into things again. Frankly, it worries me."

Cleek lifted a restraining hand. "Don't let it do anything so foolish as that to you, old man," he interposed. "Give 'em rope to hang themselves. Lots of rope. This is just the opportunity they want. Give orders for nothing to be done. Let 'em have a good run for their money, and by-and-by you'll have 'em so they'll eat out of your hand. There's nothing like patience in this sort of a job. They're bound to get careless soon, and then will be your chance."

"I wish I could feel as confident about it as you do," returned Mr. Narkom, with a shake of the head. "But you've solved so many unsolvable riddles in your time, man, so I suppose I'll just have to trust your judgment, and let your opinion cheer me up. Still, Ah, Borkins! In a ready? I must say I don't like eating the food of a man I've just placed in prison, but I suppose one must eat."

And there are a few very necessary enquiries to be gone into before the coroner's inquest to-morrow. The men have been up from the local morgue, haven't they?"

Borkins, who had tapped discreetly upon the door and then put in a sleek head to announce lunch, came a little farther into the room and replied in the affirmative. "Save for a light of triumph which seemed to flicker in his close-set eyes, and play occasionally about his narrow lips, there was nothing to show that the demeanor that such an extremely large pebble as his master's conviction for murder had caused the ripple to break on the smooth surface of his life's tenor."

Cleek blew a cloud of smoke into the air and swung one leg across the other with a sort of devil-may-care air that was part of his headland make-up in this piece. "Well," said he, off-handedly, "all I can say is, I wouldn't be in your master's shoes, Borkins. He's guilty—not a doubt of it; and he'll certainly be called to justice."

"You think so?" "Most assuredly I do. Not a chance for him—poor beggar. He'll possibly swing for his head, a pleasant conjecture before lunch, I must say. And we'll have it all cold if we don't look sharp about it, Lake, old chap. Come along."

They spent the afternoon in discussing the case bit by bit, probing into it, tearing it to ribbons, analyzing, comparing, rehearsing once more the scene of that fatal night when Dacre Wynne had crossed the Fens, and, according to everyone's belief, Borkins' evidence, had never returned. By the time the note-book in hand, was suffering with writer's cramp, and complained of a headache.

As Cleek rose from this private investigation and stretched his hands over his head, he gave a sudden little laugh. "Well, you'll be able to rest yourself as much as you like this time, Mr. Lake," he said, lightly, trying the muscles of his right arm with his left hand, and nodding as he felt them ride up, smooth and firm as ivory, under his coat-sleeve. "I'm not in such bad fettle for an amateur, if anything in the nature of a scrap comes along after all. Though not anticipating any fighting, I can assure you. There's the morning paper and the rag with various lurid and inaccurate accounts of the whole ghastly affair. Merriton seems to have a good many friends in 'these' parts, and the local press is strong in his favor. But that's as far as it goes. At any rate, I'll keep you interested until we come home again. By the way, you might drop a hint to Borkins that I shall be writing some letters in my room to-night, and don't want to be disturbed, and that if he wants to go out, Dollops will post them for me and see to my wants; will you? I don't want him to 'suspicion' anything."

Mr. Narkom nodded. He snapped his note-book to, and bound the elastic round it, as Cleek crossed to the door and threw it open. "I'll be going up to my room now, Lake," he said, in clear, high tones that carried down the empty hall-way to whatever listener might be there to hear them. "I've some letters to write. One to my fiancée, you know, and naturally I don't want to be disturbed."

"All right," said Mr. Narkom, equally clearly. "So long." Then the door closed sharply, and Cleek mounted the stairs to his room, whistling softly to himself meanwhile, just as Borkins rounded the corner of the dining-room door and acknowledged his friendly nod with one equally friendly.

A smile played about the corners of the man's mouth, and his eyes narrowed, as he watched Cleek disappear up the stairs.

"Faugh!" he said to the shadows. "So much for yer Lunnon policeman, eh? Writing love-letters on a night like this! Young sap 'ead!" Then he swung upon his heel, and retraced the steps to his room, whistling softly to himself meanwhile, just as Borkins rounded the corner of the dining-room door and acknowledged his friendly nod with one equally friendly.

(To Be Continued.)

FOR CHILDREN THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

THE LOON'S CRY

Once upon a time long ago the Loon did not have such a disagreeable voice as he now has and its dismal cry did not send a shiver down one's spine as it does to-day. "The Loon is a very handsome bird in Summer, the upper parts glossy black, showing, changing colors of violet and green tints, while the back and wings are spotted and barred with white and the underneath breast all white."

So you see it had some claim to the boast it made the night when the fairies were holding a revel near the water where the Loon lived. Some of the fairies had wandered away from the others and were fitting about in the moonlight when one of them saw the Loon and heard it say to another: "How can anyone, even the fairies, think they are more beautiful than we are?"

"Everyone who sees us admires us and says we are so beautiful they wish we could always stay on land, so we have no need to fear as a rival, and the Fairy queen better look after her children if she does not wish mortals to think more of us than the fairies."

The little fairies were shocked to hear such things, for no one had ever dared question their dainty beauty or that every mortal did not love a fairy better than anything else and wished to have them always near.

So off ran the listeners, tall their Queen, and in a few minutes the Queen was there to hear for herself what the bragging Loon was saying. "The very idea," she said, "that any mortal would dare to say that any mortal is more beautiful than one of you, my dainty fairies. But have no fear, the Loon shall pay for this; he shall have a cry that will make him so disagreeable to

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the mortal ear that none will wish to hear or see him."

Then on a passing breeze the Queen sprang, and as it floated over the Loons she touched their throats with her magic wand, and while the birds thought it was the breeze that touched their feathers, when they again spoke to each other it was to utter a sad, dismal cry which made everyone who heard it wish to put their fingers in their ears to shut out the sound.

And while the Loon is the largest and handsomest of the diving birds, it has to this day the voice given it by the Fairy Queen long ago, and as no one wants it near, the Loon is a solitary creature and shy, changing from place to place and never letting mortals get near it. But the Loon is not stupid or crazy as some have hinted that he is. He is clever enough when away from land where the Fairy Queen does not wish him to stay, and it is only on land where they are seldom seen that the Loon ever looks or acts stupid.

Mrs. Newbyrich, who was sending her boy to a first-class school, wrote to the head master stating that she was "very particular" and asking if any inquiry was made into the antecedents of scholars. The head master replied: "Madam, if you pay the fees regularly and if your boy behaves himself no inquiry will be made into his antecedents."

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Facts About Your Name: Its History, Its Meaning, Whence It Was Derived, Its Significance, Your Lucky Day and Lucky Jewel.

By Mildred Marshall.
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ROSAMOND.

Rosamond has nothing to do with a rose, strange as it may seem. The name means "famed protection," and is of extremely ancient origin. The first Rosamond was the fierce chieftainess of the Gephids, whom her Lombard husband forced to drink his health in a gristly goblet composed of the skull of his enemy.

Out of this tragedy, the name of Rosamond gained great popularity among the peasantry, and in some mysterious way penetrated the land of the Norman Chiffords, by whom it was bestowed upon Fair Rosamond of ballad lore. This lovely lady's history has been much changed by Cervantes, who makes his Persiles and Sigismunda encounter her in the Arctic regions, falling a dreary penance among the woe-wolves.

aura of romance which surrounds the name of Rosamond, established her popularity in England and all English speaking countries.

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NOW CONSTITUTING REAL ESTATE BOARD

Balloting For New Officers
Proceeding This Week

The first meeting of the provisional executive of the newly formed Real Estate Board of Victoria, which is a reorganization of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange, was held last week, when the names of ten new members were added in addition to thirty of the members of the former Exchange. This week the balloting for the officers of the new association is being held, and results will be announced in the course of a few days. Reports from various realty dealers indicate that the general spring revival in real estate has begun, greater interest being taken in the offering of city and rural properties.

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Thinking Pacifically Ten Big Problems Involved Are Set Out By Kiwanians

The big political problems of Canada and this part of the world in these post-war days are being tackled by the Kiwanis Club of Victoria with the idea that its members may have something better than the general average of information on world politics.

Because of the importance of the Pacific in the future, the idea is also to stimulate Canadians on this Western Coast to think Pacifically, so that this country may eventually develop a sound, safe and intelligent policy with regard to trade expansion and increased intercourse along the shores of this ocean.

The first step of the Kiwanis Club to carry out this plan was taken this week when Koliang Yip, Chinese Consul, was invited from Vancouver and addressed the members of the club on some of these issues as they are affected by China.

The ten political problems facing peoples of the Pacific Coast have now been enumerated by the Kiwanis Public Affairs Committee under Henry C. Hall and Atwell D. King, after a period of study.

"The view was expressed that as one of the results of the World War and the elimination of the German fleet, the centre of gravity of the world had passed from the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean, and that the future destiny of the world would be decided on that ocean, and by the countries having a littoral thereon, the Public Affairs Committee says:

- "Some of the questions naturally presenting themselves are:
- "1. The relations between Great Britain and Japan, both of trade and immigration, and the nature, and extent of the different positions of Canada, Australia and New Zealand, especially as during the coming year.
 - "2. The relations as between United States and Japan and the effect thereon upon Great Britain and Canada.
 - "3. The relations of Great Britain, United States and Japan severally and separately, to the political and economic development of China and Siberia.
 - "4. The present position of India

THE PIPERS' RECORD

Their Achievements in France and Flanders Have Been
Chronicled by Sir Bruce Seton in "The Pipes of War."

An Editorial Appreciation by The Ottawa Morning Citizen.

Martial music from remote parts of the world, and many weird tunes, must have been heard in France during the European civil war. Memories may be stirred by the Marseillaise, the Braconnonne; and the British National Anthem. But the country people and dwellers in towns of Northern France and Flanders may never again hear anything just like the skirl of the Scottish bagpipe, as it sounded in the day when it responded from every clime to the call of "Gather, gather, gather..."

A record of the achievements of pipers of Scottish and Overseas regiments during the war has been made into a handsome book by Sir Bruce Seton, Bart., of Aberdeen, and Major John Grant. It is called "The Pipes of War." It is, perhaps, sad reading to some. It contains so many names on the pipers' roll of honor. But it is an inspiring record, withal; and it is surely meet that brave deeds should be recorded, lest mankind be led into thinking itself incapable of taking up the cross when called upon to make sacrifices of self for the cause of right.

The frontispiece of "The Pipes of War" is devoted to an incident on the Canadian front. It is from the painting of the 16th Canadian Scottish at Regina Trench, showing Piper James Richardson, V. C., piping the troops past a barbed wire entanglement. The record says of Piper Richardson:

At Festubert in May, 1915, he was the greatest gallantry in despatches, and also saved a wounded comrade's life. In the attack on the Regina Trench on 21st October, 1915, he played his company to the attack. When they got near the enemy's position, very heavy wire entanglements were encountered, which took a considerable time to cut through; while this was being carried out Piper Richardson marched up and down outside the wire playing, while the men were falling all round him. When the wire had been cut he continued at the head of his company, and played the "Reel of Tulloch" on the bagpipes, followed by the "Dell in the Kitchie" as the battalion started bombing the dugouts. At this moment the company was very close to the enemy's position, and Richardson volunteered to take him out. He successfully accomplished this and then said he must go back to fetch his pipes which he had left behind in the captured trench. He never returned and must have been killed. The commanding officer (Lieut.-Col. Cyrus Creek, V. C., M. P.) writes of him: "I really think his V. C. performance was one of the great deeds of the war. The conditions were those of indescribable peril and terror. The lad's whole soul was bound up in the glory of piping, and he was only taken into action after imploring his colonel with tears in his eyes. Altogether a most wonderful example of high-souled courage and enthusiasm."

A year after Piper Richardson's death he was awarded a posthumous Victoria Cross. The pipers of the 16th Canadian Scottish have a remarkable record. They won on V. C., one D. C. M., one Military Medal and Bar, and eight plain Military Medals. No man was put up for decoration unless he had played his company over the top at least twice, and no piper was ever ordered to play in action—it was left to volunteers, who, it was found, had to resort to the drawing of lots to obtain the coveted privilege of playing.

There are many stories of willing sacrifice by the pipers. Early in the war, the Germans realized that the sound of the bagpipes meant the presence of hard fighting troops in their vicinity. German snipers were instructed to make a special mark of the pipers, for the enemy knew something of the effect of pipe music on Scottish troops going into action. The opinion of Lieut.-Col. W. Peck, himself a V. C. member of the present Canadian parliament, is:

"The pompous magistrate, who had just put up for Parliament, glared over his spectacles at the tattered prisoner who had been dragged before him on a charge of vagrancy. "Have you ever earned a shilling in your life?" "Yes, your honor," was the reply. "I voted for you at the last election!"

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WHAT THE CLUBS ARE DOING

A Gallant Rescue.

The Vancouver Kiwanis Club is going to see that proper recognition is given to the gallant rescue of the 16-year-old Charles Wickham, the lad who rescued another child from drowning in the harbor some days ago. Announcement to this effect was made by President Archie L. Teetzel at Wednesday's luncheon, and a committee, including Rev. Dr. J. S. Henderson, Dr. R. A. Riggs and Mr. Struthers, was appointed to handle the matter.

It was also announced that on Thursday, April 22, there will be a gathering in Vancouver of the four Kiwanis Clubs in this Province. North Vancouver and New Westminster will join with Vancouver in welcoming the Victoria club, which expects to come 100 per cent. strong for the gathering.

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R. M. Miller was elected vice-president of the club, defeating his opponents, J. N. Harvey and Robert McKee. Mr. Miller is a member of the firm of Miller & Co.

Mr. Bell was elected secretary and Mr. Dyson, treasurer, while J. Hill was chosen as sergeant-at-arms.

The following were elected directors: "Will" Leckie, G. Fallis, "Archie" de Long, George Harrison, Alex. MacFarlane, "Will" Shortt and Percy Lewis.

Wm. Benjamin and Albert Wilson, who claim to reside in Toronto, were arrested in Strathroy for burglary.

THE PROPHET IN HIS OWN COUNTRY

The members of a Cabinet are not encouraged to suffer from swelled-head in America, as is shown by the story of a member of Dr. Woodrow Wilson's "outfit."

He was visiting his native town, and asked the driver of the conveyance which took him to the hotel if he knew who he was.

"Yep," said the driver, "you are me was at school together."

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MEMBERSHIP DRIVE.

The Sidney Board of Trade is holding a drive for membership this week, commencing Thursday morning and lasting for three days. The Board now has 58 members, and the objective of the drive is 100. G. H. Walton is president, E. F. LeSage and E. Blackburn vice-presidents, and W. H. Dawes secretary.

Held Sale of Work.—Members of the Bishop Bridge Chapter, I. O. O. F., held a sale of work and silver tea at the home of Mrs. E. E. Wootton, Richardson Street, on Saturday afternoon, by kind permission of the hostess. The regent, Miss Watson, assisted Mrs. Wootton in receiving the guests. The sum of \$30 was made by the sale of fancy work, candy and flowers.

Ladies' Room, special afternoon teas, at The Lounge-Cafe, upstairs, Arcade Buildings, Government and View.

BRIEF LOCALS

Don't Forget Primrose Day. April 19, at the Fair of Nations, Armories, Bay Street.

Injured in Crash.—Following a slight accident last evening between a motor car driven by Mr. Stewart, 511 Commercial Avenue, and a youth named Kirby, of Jordan River, the latter riding a motor cycle, the cyclist had to receive medical aid. Little damage was done to the machines, but the cyclist was slightly bruised.

First Rifle Meet.—The first regular practice of the Canadian Scottish Rifle Association will be held at the Clover Point Range at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Practices will be held regularly hereafter every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Pacific Coast Conference.—The triennial meeting of the Pacific Coast Conference of Unitarian Churches will be held in San Francisco tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday, under the Presidency of Professor William H. Carruth, of Palo Alto. The First Unitarian Church here will be represented at the sessions.

Wishes to Find Brother.—Mrs. M. Austen, of 31 First Avenue, Lachine, Montreal, is asking the local police to locate her brother, T. H. Shelley, who is believed to be in this city, and has not been seen for thirty years by his relatives in the East. The man is described as an "author, composer and harpist," and any information would be acceptable to the party inquiring.

Luncheon Cancelled.—The Chamber of Commerce directors' luncheon, which was to have been held at the Dominion Hotel to-day, was cancelled, as the members were in attendance at the Empress Hotel for the Canadian Club luncheon. The directors held a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Rooms at 3 p. m., when a number of matters were taken up.

Women's Auxiliary, St. Mark's.—The St. Mark's Women's Auxiliary will hold a sale of work and home cooking in the St. Mark's Hall, Bole-skin Road, on Wednesday, commencing at 3 o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served from 3 to 5 o'clock, while supper will be served from 5 o'clock to 8 o'clock. A musical programme has been arranged, in which the St. John's orchestra will be in attendance.

L'Alliance Francaise.—The regular monthly meeting of L'Alliance Francaise will take place this evening at 8.15 at the Campbell Building, Victoria Club. Arrangements and details for the last lecture of the series to be given on April 23 will be discussed. M. E. Villenot, of New York, is to be the lecturer on this latter occasion, his subject to be "La Mise en Scène au Theatre."

Students' Welfare League.—There will be a meeting of the Students' Welfare League this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, at the home of the chairman of the local branch, Mr. H. Whitely, 1185 Yates Street, in the interests of the league's candidate, Miss Dorothy Eversfield, in the Queen of the Carnival contest. Ballots will be distributed to the members.

Rabbit Breeders' Association.—A meeting of the Victoria and District Rabbit Breeders' Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 8 o'clock, when a lecture on Siberian Fur and Food will be delivered by the president, augmented by the first appearance in public of the Ebony troop of Siberians which have just recently returned from a successful tour of the show across the line. Anyone interested in the rabbit industry should endeavor to be present.

Willows Camp Chapter, I. O. O. E.—The girls of the Willows Camp Chapter, I. O. O. E., raised the splendid sum of \$23.68 for the benefit of the "Birds' Club, Stanley Avenue, as a result of their sale of home cooking held at Hawkins & Hayward's electrical store on Saturday. The many delicious cakes and pies found a ready sale, the demand exceeding the supply. The Chapter members wish to take this opportunity of expressing their sincere thanks to Messrs. Hawkins & Hayward for their kindness in placing their store at the Chapter's disposal.

Rotarians Help "Y" Boys.—Rotarians made good progress Saturday in their work of erecting a pavilion for the Y. M. C. A. boys' camp at Elk Lake. Under Rotarian Dr. Raynor and Lester Patrick, the Rotarians put on their oldest clothes and, armed with saws and hammers, sallied out to Elk Lake. They laid the foundation of the pavilion and next Wednesday another party under Rotarian J. B. O'Connell will finish the job. There is keen rivalry between the two groups of workers.

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CATHEDRAL BUILDING FUND IS STARTED

Synod Hall and School Building to Be Erected First

The new Christ Church Cathedral Buildings' scheme was carried another step nearer realization yesterday when large congregations attended the services held in observance of "New Cathedral Sunday."

Preaching with the plan of the proposed new Cathedral hanging in front of the pulpit, Dean Quainton, rector of the Cathedral, delivered two inspiring and eloquent sermons on the purpose and function of a Cathedral, and its contribution to the life of the community as a diocesan home of worship.

Not a Luxury.

The Dean declared that a Cathedral is not an ecclesiastical luxury, nor a mere ornamental addition to a city. Neither was it simply a glorified parish church. Its constitution, functions, scope and system were different. It might serve as a parish church, but it was fundamentally more. It was primarily the Diocesan heart and home, to which from time to time many church people from all parts of the diocese would come. It was the spiritual home of the Bishop, in whose office were embodied the regulative forces of church life. If a Diocese could provide a worthy Cathedral and would not do so, it was unworthy of its position as a privilege and its opportunities he said.

Victoria's Unique Position.

The position of the Cathedral city of Victoria was such that it presented unique opportunities for a wide and extensive influence radiating from a strong spiritual centre and teaching ministry. Victoria was a front door to the Orient. It would become the capital of the Canadian Riviera. If the Cathedral pulpit be what it ought to be, its influence would spread to distant lands and the remotest parts of the province and country, he stated.

A Place of Worship.

The Cathedral would be, above all else, declared the Dean, the Diocesan place of worship. It would be the one special place in the Diocese where men could be reminded that their duty is not only to believe in God but to worship Him, and, because man is a social being, still more, because Christianity is a religion of fellowship and love, to worship Him publicly and together. There on occasions of great national moment, the corporate life of the city, the province and the country could be represented. Worship, said the Dean, should be the very breath of a Cathedral's life. Such a building and "ideal" was worthy of rich legacies and generous gifts. Where could the gallant and be so fittingly commemorated? For centuries its walls would stand, a witness to future ages that the citizens of Victoria in the two centuries were men and women of spiritual vision and devotion. "They dreamt not of a perishable home who thus could build," quoted the Dean in conclusion.

Synod Hall First.

In the course of the service, it was explained why the Synod Hall and Sunday School building will be erected first. The present school room was built forty years ago and is now entirely inadequate for its purpose. The Cathedral Sunday School, it was stated, has trebled in membership during the past few years, and the problem of accommodation demands immediate remedy. The importance and practical value of the religious instruction of the young in Christian principles and citizenship and churchmanship were also urged as reasons supporting the early erection of the new Synod Hall and Sunday School buildings.

The Dean announced that the new Cathedral Buildings fund would be opened immediately, and subscription forms have been issued providing for weekly or monthly contributions. Arrangements have been made for these subscriptions to be called for or they may be mailed direct to the acting treasurer of the fund, Frank Burrell, Pemberton Building, Port St.

In Supreme Court.—In Supreme Court on Friday, before Mr. Justice Macdonald, a decree absolute was handed down in the divorce action of Olsen versus Olsen, the husband being the petitioner. O. C. Bass appeared for the petitioner, the suit being undefended.

City Will Build Bridge Scon.—The City Engineer's Department will commence within two weeks the construction of a derrick scow to be used in the work of installing the new Johnson Street bridge. City Engineer F. M. Preston announced to-day. Mr. Preston's tender for the job was considerably below those of private contractors. The scow will be built on the site of the old Point Ellice shipyard.

Disagree With Commission.—J. B. Greenlaw issued a statement to-day in connection with the conditions at the city gaol. After being shown around the gaol at his request, he stated to-day that the conditions there were a great surprise to him, and as a citizen he wished to express his views in disagreement with the finding of the police commission on their recent tour. The cells are well ventilated and most modern in every respect, he stated, and the condition prevailing was a surprise to him.

Will Address Kiwanians.—Lt.-Col. Flick, C.M.G., C.B.E., one of the most noted cavalry officers of the Canadian Corps overseas, will address the Kiwanis Club at the noonday luncheon to-morrow in the Dominion Hotel, taking as his subject "The Militia." This will be the second occasion upon which Lt.-Col. Flick has addressed the local unit of the Kiwanis organizations. The Victoria club is now busy making arrangements for the trip to Vancouver on April 25, when a number of the entertainers of the club will stage a performance for the Vancouver Kiwanians in response to the minirel show staged here by the Vancouver Kiwanis Glee Club. Every member of the local organization is to be asked to make a decided effort to cross to Vancouver on this occasion.

Miss Edith Ellett, of Victoria, has been visiting Mrs. Henry George Barber, in Vancouver.

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Mr. Johnson is out to raise that much money, he explained to Premier Oliver to get the fair started. For the first contribution he asked the Premier how he thought the Government would consider an application for a \$25,000 subscription.

One man living in Saanich has come forward with an offer of a straight grant of \$250 to the fair promoters. He says the fair would get a good real estate boom started and give him and others a chance to make a little money.

Mr. Johnson visited the City Hall and had a private conference with some of the aldermen. No public announcement has been made of the result of the conference.

Represents Premier.—As Premier Oliver and most members of his Cabinet were out of the city Saturday, James Morton, chief private secretary to the Premier, was chosen to represent Premier Oliver personally and the Provincial Government at the ceremonies of welcoming the Wenatchee, Mr. Morton and Mrs. Morton, along with Mayor Porter and Mrs. Porter, Miss Porter, James Beatty, President of the Chamber of Commerce; Clifford Denham, President of the Rotary Club, and Mrs. Denham, Mark Graham, President of the Kiwanis Club, and J. Carl Penderay, President of the Victoria and Island Development Association, took part in the ceremonies.

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Tightening up on the medical examination of all immigrants to Canada is being urged at Ottawa by the Hon. Mary Ellen Smith, who is in the East attending the convention of the Canadian Council of Immigration. Hon. Mrs. Smith has also come out for publicity in the proceedings of the Council.

On the Friday Hon. Mrs. Smith was the guest of the Canadian Club of Montreal, when she addressed a couple of hundred men on "Signs of the Times."

Order of Eastern Star.—On Tuesday, April 19 the Five Rays Club of Victoria Chapter No. 17, Order of Eastern Star will bring to a close their dancing class which has been held under its auspices every Tuesday evening at the K. of E. Hall. Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock and continue until 1 o'clock. Refreshments will be served, and an enjoyable time is promised to all who attend. Those holding invitations are requested to bring along their friends. The net proceeds of the dancing class have been used to carry on benevolent work in the city.

"Three M Society" Debate.—To-night at 8 o'clock in the First Congregational Church parlors an interesting debate has been arranged by the "Three M Society" on the following subject: Resolved, that in the affairs of life the judgments of the heart are of more importance than those of the brain. The affirmative will be taken by two members of the "Three M Society," while St. Andrew's Presbyterians are sending over two car debates to handle the negative side of the case. An invitation is extended to all members and friends to be present. A vote will be taken at the close of the debate to decide the winners.

Is Bound Over.—Chia Fook, who was charged on remand with threatening the life of Yeung Sue Kee, a Chinese lady, was to-day convicted and bound over on bonds of \$250 to keep the peace for the next six months, or in default of good behavior to be committed to gaol for a period of three months. Fook took the box in his own behalf, and stated that the lady had caused electricity in his chest, it being afterwards explained that the witness meant he had been hypnotized. The accused is 62 years of age and was told by the magistrate that he was "old enough to know better."

ny Rheumatism Comes With Cold Weather

(By Valentine Mott Pierce, M.D.)

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Sporting News



Cup Finalists Go Under In Saturday's Matches

Tottenham Lost to Bradford City and Blackpool Handed Wolverhampton Bad Defeat; Burnley Met With Fifth Defeat of Season at West Bromwich But Is Practically Assured of Championship.

London, April 11.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—A notable result in the league association football games on Saturday was the defeat of both finalists in the football cup contest of next Saturday week.

Tottenham's failure against Bradford City was neither severe nor unexpected since four of the best men of the regular team were playing against Scotland.

Wolverhampton suffered a 3 to 0 defeat at Blackpool, but this result is not likely to shake the faith of their supporters in their cup prospects, seeing how well the team always acquits itself in cup contests.

Burnley Beaten.
The results generally did not vitally affect the leading league positions. Burnley met with its fifth defeat of the season at West Bromwich, but are practically assured of the championship of the First Division. Bolton and Liverpool are making a good fight for the place.

Birmingham and Cardiff. who are fighting strenuously for the leadership of the Second Division and have excellent chances of promotion, both won, the former beating North Forest, who have rapidly dropped to a position which must be causing anxiety.

The scoring was generally low in the Second Division, where eleven sides failed to score a single goal between them and only four of the twenty-two obtained more than one goal.

Little Scoring.
Seven of the eleven matches of the Third Division were drawn, Crystal Palace, the leaders, drawing with Watford. One of the few winners was Gillingham, the lowest in the table, who scored a goal victory over Queen's Park on the latter's ground.

The Results.
Results of league football games played in the British Isles Saturday:
English League, First Division.
Arsenal, 2; Bradford, 1.
Blackburn Rovers, 0; Aston Villa, 1.
Bolton Wanderers, 3; Newcastle United, 1.
Bradford, 1; Tottenham Hotspur, 0.
Derby City, 0; Liverpool, 0.
Exeter, 0; Preston North End, 1.
Huddersfield Town, 2; Chelsea, 0.
Manchester City, 2; Sheffield United, 1.

Middlesex, 2; Manchester United, 0.
Sunderland, 1; Oldham Athletic, 1.
West Bromwich Albion, 2; Burnley, 0.

Second Division.
Birmingham, 3; Notts Forest, 0.
Blackpool, 3; Wolverhampton Wanderers, 0.
Cardiff City, 1; South Shields, 0.
Coventry City, 2; Bristol City, 1.
Fulham, 1; Bournemouth Port Vale, 0.
Leeds United, 0; Barnsley, 0.
Leicester City, 0; Hull City, 0.
Notts County, 3; Stockport City, 0.
Sheffield Wednesday, 1; Clapton, 1.
Stoke, 0; Bury, 1.
West Ham United, 1; Rotherham County, 0.

Third Division.
Brentford, 2; Southern United, 2.
Brighton and Hove Albion, 3; Portsmouth, 0.
Bristol Rovers, 1; Merthyr Town, 1.
Crystal Palace, 2; Watford, 2.
Grimsby Town, 3; Swinson Town, 0.
Luton Town, 0; Millwall, 0.
Borwich City, 3; Northampton, 2.
Queen's Park Rangers, 0; Gillingham, 1.
Reading, 1; Plymouth Argyle, 1.
Southampton, 3; Exeter City, 0.

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Scotland Beats England Before Hundred Thousand

Glasgow, April 11.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—Scotland won the international soccer match against England on Saturday by 3 goals to 0.

London, April 11.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—The conclusion of the international association football match Saturday finds Scotland at the head of the table with wins over all rivals. Wales and England are tied with three points each, the result of a win, a draw and a loss. Ireland is last with no points.

The game between Scotland and England was played at Hampden, near here, in splendid weather and before a crowd numbering 100,000.

Wilson scored the first goal for Scotland after 20 minutes of play, netting the ball with a fast drive. The English forwards lost a number of good chances to score in the first half.

Norton scored the second goal for Scotland soon after half time with an easy shot. The third tally came from Cunningham, who headed the ball in.

English Forwards Weak.
The Scottish forwards played magnificently, and Ewart was brilliant in goal. England's defeat was due to the forwards, principally the centre, who passed up many good openings through weak finishing. Marshall was Scotland's best back and McMullen the best half. Bliss and Kelley were best on the English forward line.

In an international soccer game between Wales and Ireland Saturday, the former won by 2 to 1.

Penalty Goals Saved Both Mets and Wests

Wests Would Have Been Beaten on Saturday Had Allan of Comrades Not Handled Ball In Penalty Area; Deciding Goal In Mets-Vets Game Scored on Penalty; Finals Next Saturday.

Penalty goals had a lot to do with the way the games wound up in the second round of the Jackson Cup series on Saturday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park. The Comrades had the first game well in hand but a few minutes to go. With the ball rolling fast and but a few feet from going behind, Allan, one of the Comrades' full-backs, handled the ball and a penalty kick was awarded. Archie Muir played the ball in the net and evened the score. Full time found the teams even and overtime was ordered. The Wests were the aggressors throughout and got a goal lead, but fifteen seconds from time Bloom lofted a high shot which completely beat Shandley and the score was evened up for the second time. The game finished with each team holding two goals.

The second game of the double-header was decided by a penalty goal. The Metropolitans and Wests met in what was expected to be a thrilling match, and while there was plenty of fast play there was not the slightest semblance of hard feeling. The game was very close, the Wests scored a goal in the first half and the Mets equalized in the second. Although the Mets had far the better of the play in the closing half they were unable to score. Many of their rushes were spoiled by Pettievore's anxiety to get in, which resulted in the whistle for off-sides. However, the Mets were awarded a penalty kick for St. Andrew's, the Mainland champions, to play here on Saturday of this week. The district executive of the B. C. P. F. A., which is handling the series, had expected to play the finals on Wednesday afternoon, but the drawing of the Wests-Comrades game has necessitated a change in the arrangements. The Wests and Comrades will settle their argument on Wednesday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park and on Saturday the finals will be staged, the Metropolitans team meeting the winners of the first half, which would be the Mainland champions to be asked to come here on Saturday, April 23.

Biggest Crowd of Season.
Saturday's games drew the largest crowds of the season and as a result of the activities of two policemen the crowd was kept off the field of play and the players got along splendidly without the assistance of the spectators.

There was some good football and there was some bad. The Wests daunted through their game, lacking the pep and aggressiveness of previous displays. They were robbed of much of their attacking power through a painful injury to Johnnie Peden, who wrenched his back. The Comrades had a fairly well balanced team in action and they scored a goal in the first half, which would have won the game for them had Allan kept his hands off the ball in the last half. Darcy Grimes potted a nice goal for the soldiers. The Wests forwards could not shoot, although they had plenty of openings.

Muir Was Good.
When Archie Muir was shoved up on the forward line in the second half he made a big improvement in the team's play. He was the best man on the field. Heatherington's brilliant stop saved the Wests from scoring. While the Wests were tearing in on a strenuous endeavor to equalize Allan pulled the prize "bone," putting his hands to the ball. In the first overtime period play swayed back and forth, but eventually Archie Muir got his foot to the ball when fairly close in and gave Heatherington no chance to save.

Muir barged in another daisy in the second overtime period, but it was called back, the linesman claiming the ball was out. The Wests seemed to have the game tucked away when the unexpected happened with fifteen seconds to go. Bloom lifted the ball high. It just grazed under the bar out of reach of Shandley.

The teams were:
Victoria West—Shandley; Whyte and Copas; Baker, Muir and Thomas; J. Sherratt, Ed Sherratt, J. Peden, Allan and Molebay.
Comrades—Heatherington; Phillips and Allen; Falchen, Speirs and

STOKER HELLEN WINS A. & N. MARATHON RACE
Stoker Hellen, of H. M. C. S. Aurora, won the Marathon race which was held on Saturday afternoon by the V. I. A. A. for the Army and Navy. Hellen ran a steady race and finished in 41 minutes 45 seconds. Pte. Rogers, of the Princess Pats, romped home in second place in 42 minutes 45 seconds. Signallerman Davis, of the navy, was third, and Pte. Wiggott, of the army, fourth. The start was made from the Crystal Theatre and the runners ran to the Willows and back.

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How Major League Ball Clubs Look for Openers

National and American Leagues Get Under Way on Wednesday; All Clubs Are Optimistic; Special Story Dealing With Line-Up of Eight Teams in National League; Recruits Make Good.

New York, April 11.—With veteran stars refurbished and new ones preparing to flash across the baseball firmament, the major league season of 1921 opens on Eastern and Western diamonds Wednesday. While there will be no changes in the well established circuits of either the National or American Leagues there will be many new faces in the personnel of the sixteen clubs comprising the two organizations.

With the call of the umpires sending the players away on their six-month's pennant chase, the National League will have inaugurated its 46th consecutive season as the senior association clubs played their initial games early in 1876. In the American League it will mark the beginning of the twenty-second season as the junior league was formed in 1900.

Notwithstanding the unprecedented popularity of baseball during the past two years, club owners and league officials are firm in their belief that the national sport is facing a still greater period of prosperity in the months to come and have made their plans accordingly. Larger training squads went South this spring than in many years and every effort has been made to strengthen weak spots in both the offensive and defensive play of the various clubs.

An accompanying survey of the teams on the eve of the pennant season gives a few high lights on the prospects and possibilities of each team in the National League.

Pittsburgh "Pirates"
Pittsburgh, Pa., April 11.—When the Pittsburgh National League team appears at Cincinnati for the opening game of the 1921 season, "Rabbit" Maranville will be at shortstop. Since the retirement of Hank Wagner several years ago, the Pirate management has experimented with a number of men in the short field. Maranville, obtained from Boston during the winter, has been brilliantly performing according to training camp reports, and the management expects to have a stronger team than it has had since the pennant-winning days of 1909.

George Whitted, last season's third baseman, who slotted in for the field, provided Clyde Barnhart shows the form at third base expected by Manager Gibson. Barnhart, graduated from Boston during the winter to the Southern Association in 1920 and was recalled by the Pirates last fall.

Harold Traynor, purchased from Portsmouth, Va., and for whom it is said Pittsburgh paid \$10,000, will be carried as a substitute infielder. He is a shortstop and has shown excellent form in training, the management announcing he will Maranville playing him accustomed game the youngsters has little opportunity of breaking in as a regular.

Members of the 1920 team who will not be recalled include outfielders Southworth and Nicholson and infielder Barbare who went to Boston in the trade that brought Manager Gibson to the club. Catcher William Haefner, who has retired from baseball.

The following players probably will be wearing Pirates uniforms during the season opens. Schmidt and Lee of last year's team and Skiff and Wilson, recruits, catchers; Adams, Cooper, Hagdorn, Fisher, Carlson, can veterans and Zinn, Yellowhorse, Eberhardt, Glazner and Morrison, recruits; pitchers; Grimes, first base; Raynor, second base; second base; Maranville, shortstop; Barnhart, third base; Bigbee, left field; Carey, centre field and Whitted, right field. Raynor, San Francisco, was a veteran and Homer Summa, who was with the team last season have been showing well and are expected to be retained as regulars if they continue to show their present form.

New York "Giants"
New York, April 11.—Right up in front from the start in the place in the 1921 pennant race which the followers of the Giants expect the team will occupy after the opening game into the field. Whether the New York players will verify this confidence of the club patrons remains to be proved. If careful preparation and excellent coaching during the training trip have had the best of everything in that line throughout the Southern trip.

Manager McGraw and his assistants Hughes Jennings and Jesse Burkett with Cozy Dolan helping out, certainly form a staff of directors who will operate at short. Hollocher submitted to an operation last season but has come back stronger than ever. Chasing goal is looked upon as the regular third baseman.

Hoke Warner, who had a trial with Pittsburgh, and Johnny Kelleher, manager of the Jersey City club last season will likely be retained as utility infielders.

There will be no change behind the plate. Ever Hulse, the bulk of the catching, with Bob O'Farrell second string man and Tom Daly operating chiefly as a pinch hitter. In the outfield, Evers has a great array of talent. Max Flack will be in right field as usual, with Maisei purchased from Portland, as the choice for left. Towly Anderson, a former candidate for centre, although neither is regarded as a finished fielder. Barber may draw the assignment.

The fiery personality of Evers is expected to add several points to the club's percentage standing. From the first day of the Spring training trip the players have hustled.

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WITHIN THE GOLF CIRCLE

Oak Bay Retains Cup.

Colwood golfers suffered a bad defeat at the Oak Bay links yesterday when they endeavored to lift the Wright-Ditson Cup, emblematic of the city club championship. The star teams of the two clubs met in the singles in the morning and in the foursomes in the afternoon. In the singles the Victoria Golf Club nearly doubled the score on Colwood, the results being 42 points to 24. Simpson and Tomalin, Haynes and Haynes, Rines and Hunter, Rines and Hunter.

The Foursomes.
In the foursomes hit scores were as follows:
Colwood.
Thomas and Hart 3
Horrocks and H. Swengers 0
Graham and Walcott 0
C. Schwengers and Wood 0
MacKinnon and Quinn 0
Findlay and Hodges 0
Sykes and Simpson 0
Beane and Scott 0
Strath and Morris 0
Simpson and Tomalin 0
Haynes and Haynes 0
Rines and Hunter 0
Total 13

U. S. Golf Tournament.
The first round of the championship flight in the United Service golf tournament was played on Saturday and resulted as follows: Edmunds beat Darcus 2 up and 1; Parry beat Collins 1 up; Price beat Savident 3 up and 1; Freeman beat Foulis 3 up and 1.

In the second round of the first flight played yesterday the winners were: Lawrie, Elmsley, Warder and Sanders.
In the second round of the second flight played yesterday the winners were: R. Dunn, Wade, Vasey and Carr.

The semi-finals in all flights will be played on Saturday next and the finals on Sunday.

Ladies Go To Kokilah.
A team of lady golfers from the United Service Club is going to Kokilah on Saturday next to play against the Kokilah ladies. The local team will include the following: Mrs. Parry, Mrs. Fairbairn, Miss Seon, Miss Hardie, Miss Noonan, Miss Thomson, Miss Scott, Mrs. Nickson, Mrs. Lambert, and Miss C. M. Lovell.

Prudhomme, Stricken With Pneumonia, Cannot Fight
Sergt. Art Prudhomme, who was billed to meet Al Winters, of Chicago, in the ten-round main event of the Victoria Boxing Club's professional contests to be staged this evening at the Crystal Theatre and the misfortune of suddenly being ill yesterday afternoon, and is now confined to the hospital at West Point Barracks suffering from pneumonia. Prudhomme according to the military physician is in a very serious condition, and he is going to a hard battle for his life.

Manager Billy Davies received the sad news last evening, and immediately got busy with telegrams and the long distance telephone with a view of finding a suitable substitute for Prudhomme. Practically every boxing manager of repute in the Northwest was communicated with either by phone or wire, and late in the evening arrangements were made with Jack Allen, of the Vancouver Athletic Club, to send the crack Vancouver boxer, Noodles Knox, over to take Prudhomme's place.

Knox in Good Shape.
Knox, according to Allen, is in first class shape, and will be able to give a good account of himself against the Chicago boxer. He has been a consistent ring favorite with the Vancouver fans since his return from overseas, where he earned a splendid reputation for himself as one of the finest boxers in the C. E. F. His most recent important contests have been with Bud Jensen, with whom he drew, Joe Wilson, colored, who recently fought Mike Gibbons, whom he beat, also Soldier Woods, of Seattle, whom he beat 5 to 0. Knox will arrive on the afternoon boat from Vancouver. The revised programme will be as follows:
Preliminary, four rounds, 140 lbs.—Private Hayden, Princess Pats vs. Stoker Kemp, H. M. C. S. Aurora.
Special event, six rounds, 145 lbs.—Patzy Clacio, of San Francisco, vs. Leading Seaman Rees, H. M. C. S. Aurora.
Semi wind up, eight rounds, 135 lbs.—Able Seaman Mason, H. M. C. S. Aurora, vs. Billy Sneddon, Victoria.
Special comedy event—Battle royal between five contestants from H. M. C. S. Aurora.
Main event, ten rounds, 150 lbs.—Noodles Knox, of Vancouver, vs. Al Winters, Chicago.
The officials will be as follows: Referee, Billy Davies; judges, Frank Stevenson, T. O. McKay; announcer, Harry Boyd; timekeepers, Len Oliver and C. Wanger; physician, Dr. J. P. Vye.

at the Theatre

BEAUTY KEYNOTE
OF GREAT PICTURE

Cecil B. De Mille Produces
"Forbidden Fruit" at
Dominion

Cecil B. De Mille's Paramount production of "Forbidden Fruit" is one of the most massive and beautiful pictures shown anywhere this season. It will be the feature attraction at the Dominion Theatre this week.

The story is a dramatic one and many interesting scenes are finely presented. The episode of "Cinderella," which is necessary to the development of the plot, has been sumptuously staged and will attract general attention. Beauty is the keynote of the production throughout.

The cast includes well-known screen artists such as Agnes Ayres, Clarence Burton, Theodore Roberts, Kathryn Williams and Theodore Kosloff.

Fast moving farcical humor flashes all through "Neighbors," the fourth of the Buster Keaton comedies which is also shown at the Dominion.

In this howling two reels of merriment, the slender, young funmaker whose serious countenance never loses its sombre look, is given many opportunities to arouse amusement by the ridiculous situations which pack "Neighbors." There is a wealth of furious action with the slapstick not hindered by an excess of subtlety.

As the successor of Fatty Arbuckle in the field of rough and ready comedy, Buster Keaton proves that he is thoroughly capable of handling the slapstick of screen-comics with just as great effectiveness as his rotund predecessor.

In his latest of his laughivities, Buster centres his career of jovial trouble about the rough and tumble belligerence of two families whose adjoining backyards form a sort of no man's land of constant irritation. In his efforts to win the girl of his love both families have an active and aggressive time with Buster put to many acrobatic absurdities before the

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Dominion—"Forbidden Fruit."
Pantages—"Broadway" and
Home."
Columbia—"The Untamed."
Variety—"The Devil's Passkey."
Romano—"Male and Female."
Royal—"The Woman in the
House."

wedding day arrives. But just when everything seems about to be settled happily, the family fracas flares forth and the lovers find that trying to get married is just as exciting as trying to live peacefully with peacemaking neighbors.

TOM MIX STARS IN "THE UNTAMED"

Columbia Reduces Price of
Admission to Performances

Announcement is made of two changes per week and price of admission cut down to 25c for evening performance, and 15c for matinee, starting to-day.

The object in reducing the admission price in the Columbia Theatre is to give the public more inducement to attend the movies. It will be the intention to give the very best of pictures and the usual quality as in the past. The change days will be Monday and Thursday.

Tom Mix will appear in "The Untamed," starting to-day for three days only. And also a good two-reel comedy.

A flying leap through a small-paned window to the ground ten feet below is one of the hair-raising stunts performed by Tom Mix, the Fox daredevil cowboy star, in "The Untamed," booked for the Columbia Theatre for Monday, Tuesday and

Wednesday? The novel by Max Brand, from which the picture was adapted to the screen by H. P. Kester, contains a wealth of thrilling situations which lend themselves admirably to Mix's style of daring.

A most unusual and fascinating element underlying the story is the strange companionship of a man and two animals—a demoniacal horse and a devil of a dog—who seemed to have supernatural instincts that draw them apart from others of their kind and cause them to seek the companionship of one another, looking always to the man as their leader. Much has been made in the story of this weird trinity of kindred spirits.

A cast of noted players was selected to support Mix. Appearing little Pauline Starke plays opposite the star as Kate Cumberland, the western cattleman's daughter. George Siegmann, probably the best known portrayer of "villain paris on the screen, is the outlaw leader.

"THREE TWINS" TO APPEAR AT PRINCESS

Mildred Page Players to Pre-
sent Musical Comedy

The Mildred Page Players will present as their next offering the famous musical comedy "Three Twins," and the production is to be in every respect quite up to the high standard set by the management of this talented company. The play itself is full of clever lines and situations, and the singing and dancing will be given careful attention, and a number of the latest song hits will be scattered through the action of the play.

At the first performance of "Three Twins," the large framed portrait of Mildred Page will be presented to the one guessing nearest the correct number of words spoken by Miss Page in "The Little Gray Lady," last week. Also watch Fiedel's window on Yates Street, for "Captain Kidd's Treasure Chest," and send in a guess, little folks.

Remember "Three Twins," the biggest, the best and the longest-looked-for production of the year at the Princess.

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SPECTACULAR FILM ON VIEW AT VARIETY

"Devil's Pass Key" Is Story of
Parisian Life

"The Devil's Pass Key," a story of gay Parisian life in which a beautiful wife is helped out financially by a chivalrous American army officer, will be shown here for the first time commencing to-day at the Variety Theatre.

The picture is the latest Universal-Jewel production by Erich von Stroheim, author and director of the recent Universal-Jewel success, "Blind Husbands."

Sam de Grasse, who played the part of the husband in "Blind Husbands," has the part in "The Devil's Pass Key" of an American author living in Paris with his attractive wife, played by Una Trevelyn. She becomes deeply indebted to an unscrupulous modiste, who expects her to adopt the method of getting a rich admirer to pay her bills. The modiste involves her with a wealthy American army officer, who realizes that she is innocent and unsophisticated. He unselfishly helps her in order to shield another woman with whom he has had a passing flirtation.

The husband hears of the incident but does not know the identity of the persons concerned. He uses the facts for the plot of a play which proves a great success. The fact that all Paris believes he has deliberately pardoned his wife's indiscretions before the public for his own financial advantage leads to a climax as startling as it is unexpected.

The masterly direction of von Stroheim, the skillful portrayal of every character in the story, and the endless succession of scenes remarkable for their size and realism make "The Devil's Pass Key" one of the most intense and spectacular photodramas of the screen.

J. Frank Glendon, leading man in Goldwyn's production of "Gouverneur Morris," "A Tale of Two Worlds," was born in Chateau, Mont., and educated at the Montana Wesleyan University. Mr. Glendon's father, a Methodist minister, was first cousin to John A. Logan, while his mother's cousin, James B. Blaine, once ran against Logan for the presidential nomination.

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VETERAN CHOIR IN CONCERT FRIDAY

Lotta Madden, New York Soprano, to Assist Arion Club

A limited number of tickets are available for the Arion Club's final concert on April 14, and can be obtained at Kent's Edison store. This concert will mark the close of the twenty-ninth season of this veteran male voice club, the oldest club of its kind in Canada to-day, and one that has enjoyed an uninterrupted existence in the city of Victoria for that length of time. The charter members little thought when they held their first meeting in the year 1892 that the club would be in such a flourishing state, and such an asset to the city, for more than a quarter of a century after its organization. There were thirteen gentlemen present at this first meeting, and only two of these are still active singing members of the club, viz. Percy Wollaston and Herbert Kent.

The club has been extremely fortunate in its selection of conductors during this period of time, and at the present date E. Howard Russell is wielding the baton with his usual musical ability, and during this season, with increasing active membership, has got his forces into excellent shape for the concert. Two of the club numbers are worthy of special note, viz. "Start of Beauty," by Horatio Parker, and "O Lovely Night," from the Tales of Hoffman, both of which will be rendered with orchestral accompaniments by fourteen of the leading amateur instrumentalists of the city. Another number with orchestral accompaniment is "The Nun of Nidaros," with tenor solo by Frank L. Tugman.

The club will be assisted by Lotta Madden, the New York soprano, who sang with the club in 1919, and whose singing at that time called forth the highest praise from the large audience and from the local press. The Times referring to her as follows: "Her winning personality made itself felt as soon as she appeared, and before her first few notes were complete, the artist had placed herself in rapport with the audience and aroused an enthusiasm which increased with each of her numbers, culminating in an ovation on her first appearance. To the natural gift of a beautiful instru-

ment, Mme. Madden has added the charm acquired by careful training, and her voice is well placed and under excellent control. Her singing of the Aria from Massenet's "Herodias" was marked by emotional power, combined with well-sustained liquid tone, sweetness and careful enunciation.

The Times also expressed the hope that she would return to the city and as she is to be heard here again on Thursday, April 14, at the Empress ballroom, those who do not regularly subscribe to the Arion Club, may secure tickets at one dollar each. It is advisable to secure these early as the supply is limited, owing to the associate member's list this season being exceptionally large.

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Mrs. Chaplin Is Reported to See Domestic Life Mirrored in Story

The attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre all this week is a powerful exemplification of the divine force of mother love. "The Woman in His House," with an all-star cast, including Mildred Harris, will be the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre for an engagement of one week opening today. This production is heralded as the sensation of the year, and is declared to be the best vehicle in which Mildred Harris has appeared. Included in the cast are Ramsey Wallace, who is her leading man; Thomas Holding, George Fisher, Gareth Hughes, Winter Hall, Richard Hedrick, Catherine Van Buren and Bob Walker. The picture was produced at the Louis B. Mayer studio in Los Angeles under the direction of John Stahl, regarded as one of the most brilliant members of his profession in the motion picture world. The film was "shot" straight from the director's mind, Mr. Stahl having no continuity to guide him. The sub-titles were written and filled in after the scenes had been taken. The picture is based on an original story by Irene Rieu. It was approximately six months in the making, the photography being the work of Pliny Godfriend, who jumped into prominence among cameramen for his exceptional work in picturing "Old Dad." "The Woman in His House" constitutes Mildred Harris' fifth release through Associated First National Pictures, Inc. "The Woman in His House," according to preview reports, is a powerful story of a materialistic husband, a love-hungry wife, a philosopher, and a child. The story opens on the rugged coast of Eastern Canada, and the scene then shifts to the metropolis of New York city. Neither time nor money, it is said, have been spared to make this lavish production, and an unusual treat is promised to motion picture audiences who see it.

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Spirit of Young Canada, Which Inspired Thousands to Cross to Europe's Battlegrounds, Is Laid Bare in Remarkable Compilation Issued by Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Few war books published in any country can compare in excellence of form and beauty of workmanship with this memorial volume recently published by the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The Times sees one more thoroughly permeated with the noble spirit which inspired so many thousands of young Canadians to go forth and do battle for the survival of liberty and humanity in this world. A preface by Sir John Aird, General Manager, shows how heavy a toll the war took of the nation-wide institution whose destinies he helps to direct. The actual number of Bank officers who undertook war service was 1,701, and the fallen among them totals 259. Such contributions from the officers of a single institution, widely ramified though it be, focuses attention on the sacrifices made by the Dominion as a whole. In scanning the list of names it is impossible to overlook the large number of enlistments from the Western branches of the Bank, once more illustrating how completely the spirit of the West coincided with the patriotism and sacrifice that was kindled throughout the British Empire by the war. A very valuable feature is to be found in many pages of fine-toned portraits, not only of the dead but of survivors who were awarded military honors. The place of honor is rightly given to the late Edmund De Windt who was posthumously awarded the Victoria Cross for valor and self-sacrifice of the highest order near Grouchy during the terrible engagements of March, 1918. Though a second lieutenant in the Royal Irish Rifles when killed, Edmund De Windt first enlisted as a private at Edmonton and won his promotion by sheer merit. A glance at the faces of the boys, both from the East and from the West, cannot fail to impress one with admiration for the wealth of sturdy manhood portrayed. "Hot Stuff With The Girls." The volume gets its title from a happily inspired plan which originated with the Canadian Bank of Commerce during the war. In 1915, when its "business family" overseas began to assume enormous proportions, the idea was conceived of periodically publishing in brochure form, extracts from their letters, telling of their adventures, some grave, some gay, some unimaginably tragic. The number of these brochures total eleven, all of which had been edited as a labor of love by Mr. C. L. Foster, of the Head Office staff. It was subsequently decided to give these letters permanent form and Mr. W. S. Duthie, who had seen service at the front, undertook the task of rearranging the letters and preparing the necessary explanatory notes. The result is a veritable mine of material for future essayists and historians who may undertake the task of analysing and celebrating the spirit that animated the youth of Canada during those never-to-be-forgotten years 1914 to 1918. In these pages the lads speak with a candor that carries conviction of what they experienced and endured. Their nonchalance is amazing. Here one speaks briefly and without emphasis of being buried alive with several companions, and finding himself the only one left alive when dug out. Another dismisses honors in this wise: "I suppose you heard I was awarded the Military Cross. I have since been recommended for bar to it. What next? D—n funny world, isn't it? But these ribbons are hot stuff with the girls." Ever the same note of "coolness, modesty and resolution. But if one were to undertake the task of making characteristic quotations it would prove very lengthy indeed. "Letters from the Front" is a joy in itself, and its publication was undertaken as a tribute due to those whose services it records. It will not be placed on sale, but is a souvenir gift from the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the relatives of the fallen, and to those lads of equal bravery who "came through." A second (biographical) volume is in course of preparation and will be published shortly. The volume will be similar in make-up to volume 1.—Montreal Star.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIED.
 ARMOUR-LEMAN—On March 31, by Rev. Dr. Campbell, W. C. Armour and Miss M. Leeman, both of Victoria.
DIED.
 CAMPBELL—On the 11th inst., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas MacGovern, 3117 Quadra Street, Archibald Campbell, aged 22 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell, a resident here for the past three years. The late Mr. Campbell is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Thomas MacGovern, of Victoria, two sons residing in Toronto, and one son in Guthrie, Ontario.
 The remains are resting at the Thompson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street.
 Funeral service will be held on Wednesday, April 14, at 2 o'clock, at the home of the deceased, 3117 Quadra Street, after which the remains will be interred in the cemetery.
GIBSON—On April 9, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Margaret Ann Gibson, aged 46 years, born in Scotland, and a resident of this city for the past ten years, late residence 1057 Campbell Street, deceased. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. J. Gibson, 1177 Lillian Road; James Gibson, of New Westminster; William W. Gibson, of San Francisco; and Hugh W. Gibson, of Richmond, B.C.; also one sister, Miss Joan W. Gibson, at home.
 The funeral will take place on Tuesday, the 12th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the home of the deceased, 1057 Campbell Street, after which the remains will be interred in the cemetery.
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THE GALE SOCIETY will hold their annual concert and dance in the Grand Hall, March 20, 8 o'clock. All-50.
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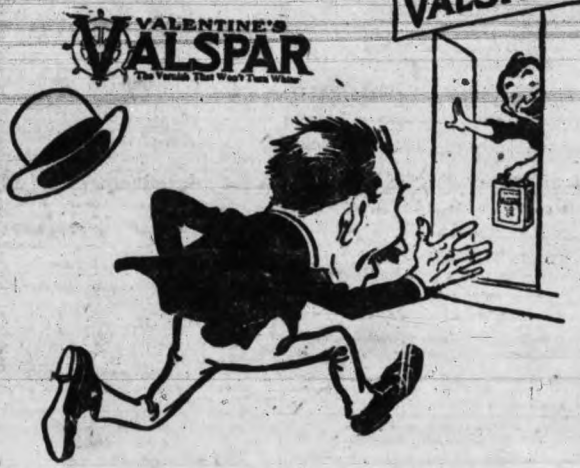
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E. F. Nicholls, model-inventor and creator of miniature mechanical marvels and copies of engineering wonders, has taken up with officials of the Provincial Government the proposal to establish in Victoria a branch of the Thornycrofts, a large English firm with foundries and machine shops on the Thames which builds marine engines, motor lorries and small boats.

Mr. Nicholls was one of the experts employed by Thornycrofts and since coming out here has been in close touch with the heads of the firm keeping them informed on business conditions and trade possibilities here.

As a result of his investigations here, Mr. Nicholls has advised the officials to select Victoria as a site for their works and to enter the field by beginning to build large motor lorries. He has also advised the company that Victoria is the ideal place for the building of all kinds of big machinery. He believes the market will develop as soon as the firm gets a good stock of manufactured goods on hand.

The report which has been made on Victoria by Mr. Nicholls and the possibilities of lorry machinery building being started here have been placed before the representative of Premier Oliver by Mr. Nicholls himself. Plans and photographs of the arrangements of the works have also been completed by Mr. Nicholls.

Re-adjustment of Rates Prophesied by Railway Board Chairman

Railway conditions in Canada should be re-adjusted and back on a normal basis in a year or two, Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, prophesied in an impressive address on "Canada's Railway Problems," delivered at the Canadian Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel to-day.

Must Be Reduction.

"You ask me what is the solution of our present difficulties," said Mr. Carvell, after he had outlined prevailing railway conditions and the causes that had produced them. "Well, we certainly cannot go on paying railway labor the price we are paying now unless we are to keep rates up to their present standard. I want to admit very frankly that freight rates are higher than they ought to be—higher in many cases than business will stand. But you cannot reduce rates and carry on the story unless there is a reduction in the cost of operation. We have too many railroads in Canada. There must be a reduction in service. People might as well realize that instead of giving increases in service, as they are demanding, there must be a reduction in service."

Must Be Heart-to-Heart Talk.

"There has got to be a real heart-to-heart discussion on this question as a business proposition. I hate to say these things about wages because I like to see men get big wages as much as anyone else. But in my business when I find I am going behind I don't hesitate to treat things as a business proposition. On my own farm I have had to order a cut in wages this year. I don't like to do it, but it has to be done. This same condition applies to the railways. It has got to be treated simply as a business proposition, but no matter what happens before we can get back to normal labor has got to be re-born. Labor men have got to make up their minds that they will give an honest day's labor for the money they receive. Canadian labor is not responsible for the McAdoo award, which fixed the present scale of wages, but Canadian labor is responsible if it does not give honest service for the money that we pay it. If only that honest service were ob-

tained we would have made a wonderful stride toward bringing the railways back to normal conditions."

Prophesies Readjustment.

"Under present conditions the wages paid to labor on the railroads affect the whole country for the man who piles lumber or does other work as the brakeman who, he says, does not work as hard as he. Thus the wage scale makes the whole country suffer. But the solution of the problem is only a question of business men getting around a table with business men representing labor and talking business. It must be solved on a business basis. I have every faith that in a year or two we will be able to readjust railway conditions. It won't be necessary to have strikes or lock-outs either. I hope the time will come when the Canadian people will be able to handle their own railway problems."

"The public ownership of railways in Canada to-day is an accomplished fact," Mr. Carvell pointed out at the commencement of his speech. "It doesn't matter much whether we believe in it or not, that is the condition and we must deal with it as such. We have to deal with two great systems, the Government system, and the Canadian Pacific Railway. The Canadian Pacific Railway is an old organization, of which we should be proud, while the Government system is a new line. No one can make out of the Canadian National Railway a Canadian Pacific Railway in three years. St. Paul could not do it. We hear demands for a change in management of the C. N. R. but I say go mighty slow in this direction! If we

have deficits on the line—and we do to the tune of some \$70,000,000 a year—blame the system, blame the fact that there are thousands of people employed by that system who think that they don't have to give a Government the same service as they do to a private corporation."

The McAdoo Award.

Mr. Carvell went on to describe railway wages. He recalled that in 1918 the Democratic Administration of the United States had fixed railway wages by the McAdoo award—an award which, he declared, was rendered without regard to economic conditions and purely to get votes for Democratic candidates. Increases in wages had been allowed not only to men who deserved them, but to all employees whether they were entitled to such increases or not. The result was that employees rendered far less service than formerly for their increased wages. The award itself was not so serious, said Mr. Carvell, but various amendments added to it had made conditions worse. The McAdoo award, he pointed out, had been adopted in Canada.

Mr. Carvell outlined the wages paid on Canadian railways. "These are not unfair ages but it's the overtime wages—time and a half—that make the figures mount up and help to cause the present situation," he said. "It's not the fault of the men. If we were in their position we would take all the money coming to us, too."

Mr. Carvell quoted figures to show that station agents in Canada who received wages of \$125 a month, actually made from \$144 to \$214 for two weeks' work, as the result of overtime wages.

Law of the Medes and Persians.

"All sorts of expedients," said Mr. Carvell, "are resorted to in order to give the public the service, but if a man is called upon to work for five minutes extra he must be paid time and a half, for the law of the eight-hour day is like the law of the Medes and Persians—it changes not," he remarked.

The total wages paid on the C. N. R. system prior to 1918 was \$42,000,000 a year, Mr. Carvell stated. Now, with no more trains running and no more employees, the C. N. R. was paying wages totaling \$31,347,000. Indeed, such were the present wage scales, that Mr. Carvell considered that the Minister of Railways had been rather below the mark when he estimated that seventy-five cents out of every dollar received by the railway companies went to pay for labor.

The Canadian Pacific Railway, he said, had increased wages between eighty-five and ninety per cent. over the scale in force in 1914. It was these enormous increases in wages, he went on, that absolutely

necessitated an increase in freight rates. "When the railroads came to us and asked for freight increases," he observed, "I was rather skeptical and so were the other members of the Board. We wanted to be shown. They told us that McAdoo had been at it again."

Putting a Pistol.

The action of American labor men in putting a pistol to the head of the Canadian railway companies, and demanding that the new American wage scale, fixed under the "Chicago Award," be made effective in Canada, Mr. Carvell considered, placed the railway companies in a most humiliating position. "They didn't come to me, he added, "there would have been trouble if they had. However, in the end our Board was absolutely convinced that there would be a general strike if the American conditions were not made to apply to the Canadian railways, so we started in to see what those conditions meant. We found that it would increase expenses to something over \$40,000,000 and tie up all the Canadian railways. We raised freight rates five per cent. over all Canada and that increase, from September to December of last year raised sufficient money to allow the railway companies to pay this retroactive amount."

Freight and passenger rates had to be increased or the railways would have gone to the wall," Mr. Carvell declared. "The increases we gave we knew would not pull the C. N. R. out of the hole, but would help. We were told to take the C. P. R. as it was. Now the C. P. R. has \$5,900,000 in reserve, made from steamship operations, land sales and so forth, but in three years they have notes to the amount of \$5,000,000. They have increased their cash reserves by \$1,000,000. If they had had to pay the increased costs of labor and got no rate increases all their cash reserves would have been gone in four years and the C. P. R. would have been placed in the same position as the Grand Trunk. Could the Railway Board take the responsibility for placing the C. P. R. in such a position that the Government would have to take it over? I will not take that responsibility. I hold that it is just as important that the C. N. R. should be in proper financial shape as it is that we should have good, honest government."

The Result.

"We gave the railways just enough to pay, the portion of the cost of a new wage scale. The result of last year's operations on the Canadian Pacific Railway was that they were able to pay a dividend, a dividend and a surplus of \$400,000. They practically came out even. It was our hope and belief that the rate we gave them would allow them to come out even again at the end of the present year but it is too early to prophesy. The March statement, however, is not very rosy. I sincerely hope that the rate we gave them will allow them to earn dividends in 1921."

Introducing the speaker of the day, President B. C. Nicholas pointed out that Mr. Carvell, by his experience in the House of Commons and as Minister of Public Works, was well qualified to speak on Canada's railway problems. The Railway Commission, he believed, was one of the most important bodies in Canada.

A large number of gentlemen who are visiting Victoria in connection with the hearings of the Railway Board attended to-day's luncheon.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred on Saturday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Margaret McConnachie, Gibson, aged forty-five years. She was born in Scotland, she had been a resident of this city for the past ten years, lately residing at 1957 Chamberlain Street. She is survived by her mother, four brothers, John, Gibson, of 1777 Lillian Road; James, of New Westminster; William W., of San Francisco; Hugh W., Gibson, of Richmond, Sask.; and one sister, Miss Jean W. Gibson at home. The funeral will take place privately on Tuesday, at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Dr. Campbell will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

The funeral of the late John Snow, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital last Friday, took place this morning, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:50 o'clock, and proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Mass was celebrated by Father Sobrey. The remains will be forwarded this afternoon by train to where interment will be made, as a family plot. The following acted as pallbearers: J. L. Ford, J. L. Silver, Pat McDonald, F. Geiger, M. McKinnon and G. Longpre.

The death occurred yesterday at Santa Monica, California, of Mrs. William Scott, of 402 Wardlaw Avenue, Winnipeg, Man. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, daughter and one son, besides a number of grandchildren. The late Mrs. Scott's son, W. J. Scott, is a resident of this city and a well-known member of the G. W. V. A. The remains will be taken to Winnipeg for interment.

BRITISH FOOTBALL.

London, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press).—English football games played to-day resulted as follows: Second Division. Sheffield Wednesday, 6; Wolverhampton Wanderers, 0. Cardiff City, 1; Rotherham County, 0. In a Northern Union Rugby game Oldham defeated Leeds by 14 to 9.

Scottish League.

Glasgow, April 11.—(Canadian Associated Press).—Scottish League soccer games played to-day resulted as follows: Dundee, 2; Clydebank, 0. Clyde, 1; Motherwell, 0. Hearts, 3; Dumbarton, 0.

"Earthquakes Recorded Here.—An earthquake was recorded by the instruments at the Gonzales Meteorological Observatory here yesterday morning. The records continued from 5:44 a. m. until 6:19 a. m. The quake was of sufficient intensity, Superintendent Napier Dennison estimates, to be recorded on the Atlantic seaboard.

STILL AT WORK ON LIQUOR BOARD

A. M. Johnson, J. H. Falconer and Major Martin Are Attorneys-General's Choice

Premier Oliver and his ministers adjourned their cabinet meeting at noon to-day without having made any further headway with the appointing of the members of the Government Control Liquor Board.

The cabinet has been summoned together at 5 o'clock this afternoon, after the Canadian Club luncheon to Hon. F. B. Carvell, chairman of the Dominion Railway Commission. The Premier and his Ministers will then go ahead with the Liquor Board problem.

Attorney-General Farris, it was announced to-day, is urging the appointment of A. M. Johnson, Deputy Attorney-General; J. H. Falconer, the Vancouver manufacturer, and Major Don B. Martin, Deputy Minister of Industries, as the result of what he learned during his week-end visit to Vancouver.

It was said in some quarters that the Premier would likely look on this choice with favor.

Premier Oliver returned from his week-end rest last yesterday. On his trip to the Mainland he kept free from all office cares and responsibilities, and even did not concern himself with the P. G. E. As soon as he got off the boat in Vancouver he hurried to the Fraser Valley to have a look at the Sumas Dyking scheme. Then he went to his farm and stayed there until Sunday.

P. Drost, of the Central City Mission, Vancouver, arrived at the Parliament Buildings, to ask the Government for a grant to feed the hungry in Vancouver. He explained that the Mission feeds and shelters many men at such a financial loss that it cannot bear it any more. He is explaining his case to the Executive to-day.

OPENING GAMES IN SENIOR BASKETBALL

The first games in the City Senior Basketball League will be played to-night at the M. C. The B. C. Cement five will meet the Belmonts at 8:30 o'clock, and the Jordan River and "Huskies" will clash at 9:30 o'clock.

This will be the first appearance of the Jordan River and B. C. Cement teams in Victoria. Both games are expected to be exceptionally keen. The teams will line up as follows:

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"By the splendid manner in which you have entertained us while here the people of Victoria have won the everlasting gratitude of the officers and men of the Canadian fleet, and all hands will be sorry if they have to go around to the Eastern Coast," declared Lieut. G. C. Jones, commander of the Canadian destroyer Patrician, in an interesting chat at the weekly luncheon of the Gyro Club at the Criterion to-day.

"We like the way that we have been entertained here," commented the officer. "The people of Victoria have not forgotten the men. When we were en route to Esquimaux we stopped at some ports, and while the officers had a chance to get ashore, I doubt if the men had two nights shore-leave in the three months. The people here have been awfully good to us all. The V. I. A. A. has arranged many sporting activities, and the Sailors' Club has been working overtime. Everything that has been done has been greatly appreciated by us all."

Lieut. Jones gave a very interesting description of the trip of the squadron to Esquimaux.

Disagreeable Start. "Our squadron assembled at Plymouth and we shoved off for the Azores on December 1," narrated the speaker. "We got it good and hearty outside, and after five rough days we expected a good time at the Azores, which had been highly boosted to us. But when we reached there it was blowing harder than ever. If it was possible, and after steaming around our anchor for two days we set off for Bermuda."

From Bermuda the ships went to Halifax, where they found the temperature up to 10 degrees below zero. "When we left there for Trinidad we were quite convinced that the East Coast was no place for us," remarked Lieut. Jones.

After spending 10 days with the Western Atlantic fleet of the British Navy in manoeuvring off Trinidad, the fleet set sail for Panama. Lieut. Jones said he had heard so much about the canal that he feared he might be disappointed with it.

Canal Amazing. "But the whole thing was absolutely amazing," explained the speaker. "Everything worked so beautifully. Lieut. Jones was greatly impressed with the speed with which the laundry was handled the canal zone.

Some Speed. "When we reached the Atlantic entrance we sent our washing ashore early in the morning, and when we reached the Pacific end at 5 o'clock that evening we picked up our laundry all clean and ironed. The speed amazed us all."

Lieut. Jones then told of his experience at Central American and Mexican ports in endeavoring to get rid of some perfectly good Canadian dollars. No one would take them, but after considerable dickering he managed to get 70 cents American for several Canadian dollars.

On reaching San Diego, Cal., Lieut. Jones said that they had quite a time. The officers were taken ashore and were shown a real good time, which amounted to a real hard day's work. They were all taken for an aeroplane ride.

They asked me whether or not I would like to go in a seaplane or a land machine," said Lieut. Jones. "I had never been in the air before, but I had seen several seaplanes crash and most of us went up in a bombing plane, but Capt. Adams went in a two-seater."

Lieut. Jones said that the Canadian squadron was not very large but that it could withstand any criticism except that the ships were obsolete. He explained that none of the three ships were built before the war and were all equipped with the latest equipment, the Aurora having been attached to the Harwich force, which were always the first to be equipped with new devices.

No Protection. Lieut. Jones then talked about the torpedo-boat destroyers. He explained that the ships were not armored and that the side plates were but three-sixteenths of an inch thick, which was not much protection. However, he explained, that shells quite often went right through the ships and exploded on the other side.

Vessels of the Patrician type carried four Yarrow boilers and turbines which developed 3,000 horsepower at full speed. The speed of the boats was 26 knots an hour, he said.

"Speed is a much better protection than armor," he found out," said the speaker. "It is very nice to know that you can get out of the way."

Speaking about the torpedo, Lieut. Jones said that one of the most important parts was the gyro, which was the compass which kept the torpedo on its true course.

"In going over some recent torpedo reports I found that the failures attributed to the gyro compass has become so small as to be practically negligible and I trust that the same may be said about the Gyro Club of Victoria," said Lieut. Jones in conclusion.

President Beckwith assured Lieut. Jones that the public of Victoria was just as grateful to the members of the fleet as the sailors were to the citizens.

J. O. Dunford sang two very pleasing songs during the luncheon hour.

Has Store Flooded.—A steam pipe supplying hot water to the King Edward Hotel broke on Sunday afternoon, and flooded Watson's Shoe Store, next door, doing considerable damage to goods and fixtures. Luckily Mr. Watson happened to drop in shortly afterwards, and with a little volunteer help was able to get the water under control.

Meet to Protest.—A meeting of retailers of fish, meat and groceries in Victoria is in progress to-day to protest against any amendment of the Shops Closing By-Law, as suggested by Alderman Macdonald, at the City Council meeting to-night. The traders interested desire to protect themselves against certain special concessions in early morning hours.

News of Markets and Finance

LITTLE CHANGE IN STOCK MARKET

(By Burdick Brothers, Ltd.)

New York, April 11.—The stock market was exceedingly dull to-day, and apart from a few specialties showing slight breaks little change was recorded. Sales were small. Money renewed at 7 per cent.

Stock	High	Low	Last
Allis-Chalmers	34 1/2	34 1/8	34 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	88	88	88 1/2
Am. Can. Co. com.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Can. Pk. Co.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Am. C. & P.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am. Locomotive	88	88	88
Am. Sugar Ref.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Am. T. & T.	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Am. Wool	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Am. Steel Pk. Co.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Am. Sun. Tob.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Anaconda Mining	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Atchafalpa	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Atlantic Coast	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	88	88	88
Baltimore & Ohio	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Central Leather	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Cruicell Steel	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio	88	88	88
Chic. & St. P.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Chino Copper	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Chile Copper	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Corn Products	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Coca-Cola	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Crisp	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Gen. Electric	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
General Motors	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
Granby	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Gr. Northern, pref.	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Hammer	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Imperial Oil	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Int'l Mer. Marine	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Do. pref.	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Int'l Harb.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Lack Steel	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Midvale Steel	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Mo. Pacific	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Norfolk & W. Va.	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Norfolk Southern	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Norfolk & W. Va.	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Pennsylvania R. R.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Reading	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Republic Steel	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
S. N. O.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Southern Ry. com.	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Union Pacific	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
U. S. Rubber	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
U. S. Steel com.	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Do. pref.	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Western Union	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Wm. S. Overland	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Allied Chemical	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Am. Drug Stores	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Am. Ship & Commerce	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Am. Lin. Co.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Kelly Springfield	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
U. S. W. Ry.	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
United Fruit	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Pam. Play (asky Corp.)	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Nat. Petroleum	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Nevada Consolidated	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Pittsburg Coal	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Transcontinental	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Union Oil	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
White Motors	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Yamp Motor	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Middle States Oil	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Chandler Motors	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Cera de Pasco	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Cuban Cane Sugar	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Retail Stores	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Shell Transport	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Canadian	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

(Burdick Bros., Limited.)
New York sterling, \$3.93 1/2.
New York funds, 12 1/2 per cent.
New York silver, foreign, 58 1/2.

TO-DAYS TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKET

Winnipeg, April 11.—An official declaration of the opening of navigation by the Council of the Grain Exchange featured the local market to-day. The cash wheat market was very strong and premiums went to 15 cents for the top grade, and in wheat even higher prices could be obtained for round lots, but with the producers still holding, only scattered offerings were available. The future wheat market followed Chicago in a decline and the close was 3 1/2 to 5 cents lower.

The coarse grain market seems to be well liquidated and a better underpin is apparent. Data closed 1/2 to 1 cent lower; barley 1/2 cent higher; flax 2 to 3 cents lower, and rye 3 1/2 cents lower.

Wheat—				
May	134	134 1/2	134	134 1/2
July	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Sept.	60	60 1/2	60	60 1/2
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Descriptions of "Allenby's
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Dean Brock's lecture on General Allenby's triumph in the Holy Land. The Tenth Crusade—filled the New Westminster Technical School hall to overflowing with an audience that were highly entertained, instructed and stirred to patriotic feelings of pride in the glorious achievements of British arms in one of the dramatic victories of the Great War. Dean Brock narrated General Allenby's successful campaign that drove the Turk and their German "drill-masters" out of Palestine and Syria as one who was an eyewitness and participant in this epoch-making event, being attached to Gen. Allenby's headquarters staff. The illustrations were real war pictures, and pictured the advance of the British, the difficulties of the campaign, incidents in the headlong drive of the Tenth Crusade and notable places and scenes about Jerusalem in a most interesting manner, while Professor Brock's vivid descriptions gave his hearers a clear and comprehensive view of the situation in that theatre

of the war in its various phases, and impressed on all the brilliancy and effectiveness of General Allenby's strategy, which caught General von Liman-Sandera, napping and utterly confounded the enemy.

A Cosmopolitan Crowd

The greatest proof of Allenby's skill as a leader, stated the speaker, was that out of a heterogeneous collection of men—British, yeomen, Australian, Light Horse, Indian Cavalry and Infantry, Imperial Cavalry, Arab horsemen—he welded all into a splendid fighting machine and won the greatest victory in the history of the Far East. The significance of Allenby's success was seen in the fact that Turkey early sued for peace, and one of the conditions of the Armistice was that the Allies were to be permitted to transport armies and munitions through Turkey, then through Roumania, to threaten Germany on her flank. It meant that the Allies could concentrate on the undefended borders of Prussia, only 30 miles from Berlin. So the victory in Palestine and Syria and the fall of Damascus had a splendid moral effect, a climax of the war.

A Graphic Picture

Edward Goulet, president of the New Westminster Branch of the Young Men's League, in moving thanks, had fitting words of appreciation for the lecture which so graphically presented one of the epic events in history. He asked the speaker if they could estimate the effect of such a graphic lecture on the younger minds, with its presentation of the ability, the foresight and the devotion of men like this great British commander. He believed the patriotism of the younger people would be stimulated by such lectures, which showed how we were saved from the fate the Germans had planned for us. Referring to the organization of a naval cadet brigade here, he said that it was not started in the spirit of militarism but for defence, to be prepared, and to stimulate the patriotic spirit, which they had seen by the lecture had expressed itself so gloriously for the Empire and the world, and had saved the beautiful Holy City from the blighting rule of the Turk.

W. H. Fenton, formerly of the D. C. H. School, also in fitting terms, expressed how well Dean Brock had upheld the standard of lectures given by the members of the University Faculty.

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These changes were decided upon by the Police Commission at its meeting with the Mayor on the recommendation of Chief Fry. Batons carried in belts, the Chief said, often fell out. The Chief produced a short baton from a "mysterious pocket" in his own trousers to demonstrate the system he recommended. This satisfied the Commissioners, and they ordered that all new police uniforms contain this baton pocket.

The Commissioners decided to remove a number of police alarm boxes from east of Vancouver to more central locations.

At their meeting Thursday night the Police Commissioners received and filed a letter from J. A. Shanks, who protested against the noise which boys made on the streets at night. To-day this decision was rescinded, and Chief Fry was asked to attend to Mr. Shanks's complaints.

The Commission will meet again next Tuesday night to consider the question of its annual estimates.

BACK FROM TOUR OF GEORGIAN CIRCUIT

Charles L. Harris Finds Roads
in Good Condition

"If there is anyone on Vancouver Island the least doubtful about our Island not being the mecca for tourists during these coming months, a visit round the Georgian Circuit would remove the doubt," says Secretary Harris of the Island Automobile Association, and editor of the Island Motorist, who has just returned from a complete tour of the Georgian Circuit.

All Enthusiastic.

"There was not an individual, firm, commercial body or newspaper I interviewed that did not predict a wonderful tourist travel for Victoria and Vancouver Island this summer," says Harris.

Speaking of the trip Mr. Harris says: "I thought I would be the first to make the complete circuit, but the honor must be given to Governor Hart of Washington, and his party who preceded me by one day, and to Mr. Warren of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Company's local branch. Mr. Warren was really the first around."

The road conditions were ideal for motoring. I never knew the Olympic Highway to be in such excellent condition. Its entire length from Port Angeles to Olympia, 135 miles, was perfect for dirt roads, only one or two short stretches, where road gangs were working did I experience any rough going. Such road conditions added wonderfully to the scenic grandeur of this portion of the Georgian Circuit.

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The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Prepared by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, April 11.—5 a. m.—The barometer has fallen over Northern B. C. and showers and weather may become general. Cold weather continues in Northern Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.100; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 48; wind, 16 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 59; wind, 6 miles S.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 73; minimum, 41; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 45; wind, calm; rain, .01; weather, fair.

Temperature.

Place	Max.	Min.
Portland, Ore.	66	46
Seattle	55	46
San Francisco	58	50
Panama	64	50
Calgary	50	26
Edmonton	48	24
Qu'Appelle	36	24
Winnipeg	31	21
Toronto	31	21
Ottawa	40	20
Montreal	40	20
Halifax	34	24

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HOW MAJOR LEAGUE BALL CLUBS LOOK FOR OPENERS

(Continued from page 16.)

Nehf, Sallee and Ryan came to prime form quickly while Tony, Barnes and Shea were slower in getting into playing trim. Snyder, Smith, and Gonzales with Gaston make up the catching staff and outside of the batteries, the line-up for the opening game may read as follows: Burns, Bancroft, Frisch, Young, Kelly, Brown and Rapp.

Cincinnati "Reds"

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 11.—When the Reds take the field for the opening game of the season in this city on April 13 against the Pittsburgh Pirates, they will be a remodeled ball club from that which won the National League pennant and the scandalous world series in 1919. Unless Ed Roush, centre fielder and Henry Groh, third baseman, who are hold-outs, capitulate and return to the line-up there will be only three of the Reds of 1919 in the game. They will be Roush, Groh and Jake Daubert at first and Ivy Wingo behind the bat. Even the appearance of Jake Daubert depends upon the condition he is in for playing, as the veteran player did not go with the team to Texas for Spring training. If he is not in shape, Pitcher Rube Hart of Washington, and his partner, who is the handy man of the outfit will be perched on the first station. At second will be Louis Fonseca, obtained from a Western league, who was a one-time first baseman. The road conditions were ideal for motoring. I never knew the Olympic Highway to be in such excellent condition. Its entire length from Port Angeles to Olympia, 135 miles, was perfect for dirt roads, only one or two short stretches, where road gangs were working did I experience any rough going. Such road conditions added wonderfully to the scenic grandeur of this portion of the Georgian Circuit.

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Brooklyn "Dodgers"

Brooklyn, April 11.—Brooklyn's chances in the National League this year would seem to depend more upon the changed conditions in the other clubs than upon an estimate of the Superbas' own strength. They will start the season with practically the same line-up with which they won the championship last year. They still have the same powerful pitching staff, and it is possible that one and one or two others of the pitchers may be even better than in 1920.

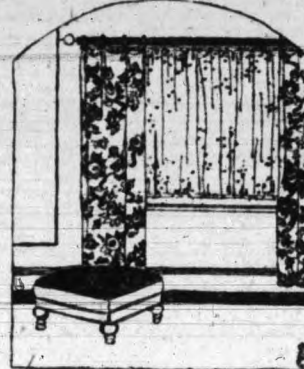
The infield situation is uncertain because of the loss of Groh, and the failure to find a new man to take his place in case he should slip seriously. Buster Catton, formerly of the Pirates was expected to act as a reliable substitute for Olson, but has developed a bad arm and has been sent home by Manager Wilbert Robinson. Ed Konetchy, the oldest first baseman in the league batted over 300 last year but whether he will be able to repeat in this, his 15th season is a question.

Pete Kilduff will again be at second and Jimmy Johnston at third. Both were getting better every day last year, and the change in form is expected to be a strong point in favor of this year's team.

Behind the bat the prospects are uncertain. Otto Miller, who has been with the club 11 years and last year was expected to do little playing, unexpectedly went back to his early form and last year again. Whether he can repeat this year is another question like that concerning Konetchy. Ernest Stricker was an erratic thrower last season, but will probably be second string catcher this season but will have a rival in Zack Taylor, a youngster who sat on the bench all last season, but who showed considerable merit in his few opportunities. Brooklyn recently bought Meyer, formerly with the Athletics, but he was slow in reporting. The old outfield of Zack Wheat, Hi Myers and Tommy Griffith have all reported. With the passing of George T. Stallings, the miracle man of 1914, to the Rochester Internationals, Fred Mitchell's "right eye" of that year and subsequently manager of the Chicago Cubs, stepped into

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run and the club is well supplied in outfield material while the reserve strength of the infield is decidedly light at this stage.

On the whole, the chances of the club will depend on the number of veterans batting up to their 1920 form and the pitching staff coming through even better than it did last year. A slipping by the veterans and any series of accidents to the pitching staff would probably mean new champions in the National League this year.

Boston "Braves"

Boston, April 11.—Gone are the Braves of yesteryear. This city will scarcely know its own team when it comes back from the South. Resignations, trades and disagreements have so changed the personnel that it is only reminiscent of the team of a year or two ago.

The change in the Braves is almost revolutionary. With the passing of George T. Stallings, the miracle man of 1914, to the Rochester Internationals, Fred Mitchell's "right eye" of that year and subsequently manager of the Chicago Cubs, stepped into

the managerial role. The Indian head is gone from the uniforms, "Rabbit" Maranville is gone from the infield; only Gowdy and Rudolph remain of the 1914 champions and Archdeacon's come-back is doubtful.

It will be a team top-heavy in outfield strength, with the former Pirates Southworth and Nicholson fairly certain of regular places, and last year's quartet, Powell, Sullivan, Cruise and Eays contending for the odd place with two likely looking youngsters, Nixon and Archdeacon, the latter described as a flash on his feet.

Barbaree will be inserted at short in place of Maranville, with Holke holding down first again, Ford playing regularly at second, and Boeckel probably at third with the new youngsters. Nixon and Archdeacon, the latter described as a flash on his feet.

young John Cooney, of Lefty Leo Townsend and his right-handed Ira Townsend are expected to supplement the veteran arms in the early campaign.

Old Hank Gowdy will head the catching corps, assisted by George O'Neill of last year's team, and Frank G. Gibson a Texas legend of a year ago.

St. Louis "Cardinals"

St. Louis, April 11.—With added strength on the mound, Manager Branch Rickey expects to enhance the chances of the Cardinals in this year's pennant race. Having led the National League in batting with .282 and being well up with the leaders in scoring runs last season Manager Rickey assumes that the "punch" will continue in evidence and that his team will do better than tie for the top of the second division where it finished in 1920.

The Cardinals will present a rearranged infield. With Milton Stock, a hold-out, Rogers Hornsby has been shifted over to third base, and George Toporcer, a respected recruit without previous professional experience, has succeeded Hornsby at second. Fournier and Lavan, are back at first and short, respectively, and Harold Janvry is again available for the utility role.

In the outfield, Jack Smith, who like Stock, hit better than .300 last year, also is a hold-out. The other veterans, McHenry, Heathcote, Schulte, and Shotton, are in line, however, and reinforcements have been obtained in the persons of Leslie Mans, from Boston and Clarence Mueller, a minor league recruit, who has made a strong bid for a permanent place.

The catchers, Clemons, Dilhoefer and McCarty, are in line likewise the veteran pitchers, Schupp, Shredel, May, Doak, Haines, Goodwin and North. The pitching staff has been increased by the acquisition of Riviere, a collegian, who came into prominence for his work in the semi-professional field in Texas last year; Bill Perkins, of Los Angeles, and "Dixie" Walker, from the New Orleans club of the Southern League, all of whom appear to have a good chance of remaining in that company.